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THANKS FROM FRANCE

SENT BY AMERICAN BOYS THROUGH MISS KATE WOLF

To the Folks at Home Who Saw that Their Boys Did Not Go to Bed Hungry When Without Money.

The following letter from Miss Kate Wolf to Miss Frances McClean, custodian of the Miss Kate Wolf "Fund," dated January 13, is at hand:

Received your letter and order. I had occasion to bless you good people last night for I had forty-five dear boys for the night, not one had a sou, they had no pay recently. Four were smoking their last cigarette between them. They had cigarettes, sandwiches and hot coffee, thanks to their good friends at home. They were cavalry boys on their way back from the front for another train load of mules. They knew nothing about the trains, only where they were to go and they were told that when they arrived at Angers they would be looked after as to trains. I saw them when their train came in, so ran over and asked where they were booked for, as this is the end of the run for that train, then called up all the chiefs to have that car held for them and attached to the morning train. The poor children had every thing but the kitchen stove with them,—an awful lot of junk to drag off and on another train. When this was all arranged I took them all with me and gave them stretchers and blankets in the Abic which we use for the sick and wounded that arrive for the hospitals. It is a frame building with a dirt floor but when the stove is in full swing, it is not so bad, —far better than sitting up in a cold car or walking up and down the station. The boys were delighted,—it was a parlor after box cars full of mules. I soon found out they had no money and empty stomachs. Our boys can get a hot meal for twenty-five [illegible] francs, seldom [illegible] for [illegible] that [illegible] and possibly [illegible] though we always [illegible] small amount of [illegible] to get on it for those who wish to stay out and go "bread by the yard and a large dish of hate" and that with all the hot coffee they wanted made them happy. I can I spent the night dosing those with colds, painting pictures in iodine on bruised shins and toes, dressing cut and smashed fingers, swabbing sore throats with iodine, etc. The Pennsylvania boys came from Harrisburg and Philadelphia. In the morning they asked their captain to make a nice little speech of thanks to the folks at home, through me, who remembered their boys in France and saw that they did not go to bed hungry when they had no money. If all the folks interested in the "Fund" could have seen and heard those boys they would feel their money was well spent,—and it did not take so much for the forty-five—less than three dollars. They made a great impression on the French for every one scrubbed well before going to bed, they were quiet and in the morning put everything in order,—folded the blankets and put them in place, put the pillows on piles as they had found them and ranked the stretchers, emptied all the pails and brought in fresh water, swept up the ashes and cleaned up so well no one could guess the place had been a barracks.

Their officer was such a fine fellow and the spirit between him and his men the best I have seen in our army. Just the way they would say "Our Captain" was enough. I said to one boy, "I'm so glad to see none of you boys have been drinking." "Our Captain does not approve, and he wants Squad A to rank high," was the answer. The captain was a young fellow and I told him to go to bed in the Infirmary and when I had time I'd bring him bread and milk. When I had finished feeding the boys and had them settled so they knew where to find their blankets, etc., I made a cup of cocoa and when I took it to the captain and he saw the tray he said, "I never would have believed in war times, that any one would put me to bed in a railroad station in France and bring me a tray of food." He dod not leave a crumb of anything, even though the tray cloth was a piece of torn muslin and his napkin a towel with many holes. All declared it the best night since they left home. I just love doing things for them.

Their surprise and delight to find an American in a French railroad station, at night, who looks after them and makes them comfortable is ample reward for tired feet and heavy eyes in the morning.

About a hundred sick boys arrived on Saturday, so many had bad colds. Some were a little homesick, this I think is because they do not understand the language. The other day one boy said, "I wouldn't get so homesick if I had a nice girl to talk to sometimes. The fellows are fine, but one only knows after they get here how much they depend on the women for company. Now, I'm not in love with any special girl, but gee it must be hell for fellows that are." Thus it is they long for letters and would rather have a letter than a package many say. That's why I feel all we American women over here should do our best for every boy we meet. All the nurses I meet, I try to impress this same thing on,—forget yourself and be a bright spot to every boy you meet, he needs it and you may be the last American woman he will ever see.

The Fund was remembered this week by the following new friends whose contributions are gratefully acknowledged:

Mrs. J. L. Butt.
Miss Sallie Krauth.
Mrs. T. J. Winebrenner.
The Wednesday Sewing Club.

MARRIAGES.

Holder—Bushman.—Miss Mary M. Bushman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Bushman, of Gettysburg, and Charles H. Holder, Huntsville, Ala., were married Tuesday in York by Rev. Samuel H. Stein, pastor of Trinity Reformed Church. The bridegroom is a member of Company C, 61st U. S. Infantry stationed at Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., and met his bride when his regiment was stationed at Gettysburg.

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O'Connor—Grove.—Mr. and Mrs. George Grove announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Matilda Grove, and Frank O'Connor, of New York City, in September,, 1917, in Washington, D. C.

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Rothhaupt — Bowers.—Miss Edna Bowers, daughter of Benjamin Bowers, of near Taneytown, and Lloyd E. Rothhaupt, of Rothhaupt's Mill, were married Tuesday, Jan. 22, in Taneytown, by Rev. March. After April 1st they will reside on a farm near Taneytown.

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Gruber—Landis.—Miss Anna Landis, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Chas Landis, of Fairfield, and Rev. Chas. Gruber, a senior at the Theological Seminary, were married on last Thursday at the home of the bride. Rev. Gruber has been commissioned a chaplain at Camp Meade.

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Irvin—Hall.—John Irvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Irvin, of Buchanan Valley, and Miss Mary Hall, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Hall, were married at a nuptial mass in St Ignatius Church Thur lay morning of last week by Rev. W. W. Winpisinger. The attendants were Clarence Irvin and Paul Stomberger. They will reside in Buchanan Valley.

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Bunty—Libhart.—Joseph L. Bunty of McSherrystown, and Miss Grace W. Libhart, of Hallam, were married in St. Mary's rectory, McSherrystown, Thursday morning of last week by Rev. Dr. L. Aug. Reudter. The bridegroom is one of the popular young men of McSherrystown.

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Kuhns — Lawrence.—Frank Kuhns of Littlestown, and Miss Gertrude Lawrence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lawrence, of Emmitsburg, were married in St. Joseph's Catholic Church on Wednesday morning of last week. The bride wore a tailored suit of dark blue. Rev. J. O. Hayden officiated. Their attendants were her brother-in-law, James McGreery, and sister, Miss Sarah Lawrence.

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Branegan — Crimmins. — Justice of the Peace Appler last Thursday afternoon married James M. Branegan, a member of the Quartermaster's detachment stationed here, and Miss Johanna Crimmins. During the evening the other boys of the Quartermaster's outfit gave the newlyweds an old time serenade.

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Culp—Knouse.—L. Meri Culp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geoorge Culp, of near Biglerville, and Miss N. Blanche Knouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Knouse, of Biglerville, were married Tuesday evening by Rev. T. C. Hesson, at the Reformed parsonage in Arendtsville.

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Culp—Toot.—Francis R Culp, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Culp, and Miss Sara A. Toot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Toot, of Franklin township, were married Tuesday evening by Rev. T. C. Hesson, at the Reformed parsonage in Arendtsville.

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McSherry—Wise.—Miss Nan M. Wise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wise, of Spring Grove, and Alban McSherry, of Gettysburg, were married in Sacred Heart Catholic Church Spring Grove, at 9 o'clock Thursday morning, Feb. 7.

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Keller—Geyer.—Miss Madge Rebert Geyer and John Hartman Keller were married at St. James' parsonage on Wednesday by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Baker.

York Springs Makes the Best Butter.

It is gratifying news to learn that the best butter in the State is being made at York Springs. That was the decision reached by the judges of the State Dairymen's and Fruitmen's Exhibition which was held in Harrisburg last week when they awarded first prize to the butter made and exhibited by the York Springs Creamery Co. E. M. Wolfe, and his chief assistant, L. C. Pittenturf, feel highly complimented on the result especially as their products were in competition with twenty-seven other varieties of butter on exhibition from various creameries throughout the State. The prizes awarded were a silver cup and ten dollar gold piece.

Many Children Are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children Break up Colds in 24 hours, relieve Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N.Y

U. S. MOTOR TRUCK TRAINS

ARE WILD OVER THEIR WARM WELCOME HERE.

Given by the Canteen Department of the Gettysburg Red Cross Chapter.

When the first United States Army motor trains went through here December 27, word was left that more trains would follow. It was not until Saturday, February 2, that Sergeant Anderson arrived in town at 9.30 A. M. and asked whether the Red Cross could take care of the boys in charge of the truck train following, due to arrive at 10.30 A. M. It was a program involving preparations at a high gear speed, and when the train reached the town an hour later a luncheon was ready for the boys.

Army truck trains passed through Gettysburg on Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, and were in charge of four companies of the 308th Supply Train Unit, attached to the 83rd Division at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe Ohio. The trains were made up of 5-ton Packard trucks and came from Detroit and bore legend, "From Detroit to Berlin." Each train had about 30 cars and each company contained from 85 to 90 boys.

There are two remaining companies in this unit and they are expected to pass through Gettysburg with truck trains this week.

The condition of the weather presented great difficulties to the trains, running through trenches of snow, over mountain roads almost as high as the trucks. The boys declared the Pennsylvania roads the best on the route. The bitter cold added to the situation. The trains had rations and a kitchen car but their use out of doors was about impossible. As one of the boys told at one point they phoned ahead for coffee and when the place was reached their biscuits were found frozen.

Gettysburg had a warm welcome for the boys that caught them. St. James' Church generously granted the use of their comfortable dining room and kitchen and the ladies of the Red Cross prepared the treat of hot coffee and ham sandwiches. The rooms on the coldest days were quite comfortable and the boys shed their overcoats and sweaters, caps and helmets, and with all the sandwiches they could eat and hot coffee, they were thawed into a highly appreciative attitude which was exhibited in singing, cheers, hand-shaking, etc. The boys were glad of the opportunity to rest and talk with Gettysburg people.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Gettysburg Red Cross on Monday evening, a Canteen Department of the Red Cross was authorized and will be organized for work they will find to do. Our people and the business men of the town have been so impressed with the imporatnce of this work that they gave it their hearty support and in quick canvass this week soon had over $100 in a fund for the maintenance of this department of the Red Cross. It is estimated that the entertainment will cost from ten to twelve cents per head.

ADAMS CO. BOY ON TUSCANIA.

Albert R. Jacobs, of the 158th Aero Squadron.

The first great disaster to the United States troops took place this week when the troop ship Tuscania was torpedoed off the coast of Ireland. There was on board 2397 soldiers and crew. The number now known to be saved has reached 2200, reducing the unaccounted for and lost to 101.

Albert R. Jacobs, who ran the garage at York Springs before enlisting, was on the Tuscania, and at this writing his fate is unknown. After enlisting he went to the Kelly Field Camp and from there to an aero camp in Louisana. He was in York Springs several weeks ago and not being heard of for several weeks it was concluded that he had sailed. His wife, Mrs. Stella Jacobs is living in Philadelphia. He was born at Hampton, Adams county, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Jacobs, both deceased, and is 27 years old.

Turnpike Free of Toll.

On Feb. 7 the Waynesboro, Greencastle and Meteersburg turnpike was made free from toll. Thirty-two miles of this turnpike has been bought by the State for the sum of $90,224 and the cost is divided between the State and Franklin County, the latter paying $24,612. The pike will be a part of the State Highway system and will be free of toll from the Adams county line near Charmain to the point where it joins the Lincoln Highway at McConnellsburg. The portion of the turnpike in Adams county from Charmian to the Maryland line, between six and seven miles, will remain a toll road, and as a miserable piece of roadway ought to be sold cheap.

SALESMEN WANTED to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or Commission. Address THE HARVEY OIL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

—Miss Oneida Ollinger, West Middle street, is spending a week as the guest of friends in Philadelphia.

PERSONAL POINTS OF VIEW

COMINGS AND GOINGS INTO AND OUT OF THE TOWN.

Social and Other Individual Happenings and Other Local Items of Interest.

—Miss Sara Butt and Miss Amelia Butt have returned to Hood College, Frederick, after spending a week's vacation at their home on Carlisle street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rupp have returned to their home on West Middle street after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rupp, McKeesport, and Rev. and Mrs. David Shaeffer, Homestead.

—Miss Louise Wills has returned to her home on Baltimore street after spending several days with friends in Philadelphia.

—Dr. Charles Wassem, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with his father, Frederick Wassem, at his home on South Washington street.

—Miss Jeanne Sieber and Miss Anna Gilliland of Temple College, Philadelphia, are spending the week end at their homes here.

—Miss Alice Cable, of Waynesboro, spent this week as the guest of Miss Aouda Duttera, Baltimore street.

—T. J. Winebrenner, Baltimore street, has returned from a business trip of several days to Lancaster and York.

—Miss Anna Wisotzkey, South Washington street, attended the funeral of Mrs. H. J. Bunty in McSherrystown on Saturday.

—Miss Mary Bowers has returned to her home in New Oxford after a visit with the Misses Eichoitz at their home on North Stratton street.

—C. H. Cromer, East Middle street and Harvey C. Cromer, have returned from a four weeks' trip to Chicago and Woodhegan, Ill., and other western cities.

—Charles Reiley has returned to Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., after spending a short furlough with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reiley at their home near town.

—Dr. Franklin Menges and family, of York, were visitors over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McIlhenny, Lincoln avenue.

—Miss Ella Miller has returned to her home in Chambersburg after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brehm, Broadway.

—Mrs. Paul Miler and son Wilson, of Weehauken, N. J., are spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson, East Middle St.

—Charles Hummelbaugh has returned to Reading after spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Humelbaugh, Buford avenue.

—Clarence W. Epley has returned to New York after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Epley.

—Nathaniel Robinson spent the week end at the home of his brother-in-law F. G. Hemler, Mt. Rock. Mr. Robinson left on Wednesday for St. Agnes Hospital, Philadelphia, where he will undergo a surgical operation.

—Miss Ruth Houck has returned to her home in Biglerville after a visit with Mrs. Richard Francis, South Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Deardorff, Carlisle street, announce the birth of a son on Monday, February 4th.

—Reuben Fiscel met with an accident on Monday while shoveling snow off the roof of his building in the alley back of Baltimore street. The building was formerly the Chas. H. Comfort planing mill and had a large skylight in the roof. In trying to lift the snow off the skylight, the glass broke and Mr. Fiscel was thrown through the frame and fell on a buggy that was standing underneath. Mr. Fiscel was cut and bruised but was fortunate enough to escape more serious injury.

—W. A. Taughinbaugh has resigned his position as carrier on the Star Motor Mail Route between Gettysburg and Baltimore. Mr. Taughinbaugh's resignation followed a change in the schedule which necessitated his spending the nights in Baltimore. Until another carrier is appointed a substitute is driving the route.

—The upperclassmen at College are celebrating "Junior Week" this week. On Thursday evening the Paramount Entertainers appeared in Brua Chapel. On Friday evening the annual Junior Promenade took place in Glatfelter Hall, and on Saturday evening the Sophomore class will present their annual play in Brua Chapel. The title of the play is "The American Citizen." Many guests from out of town are here for the occasion.

—Andrew Utz, Carlisle street, narrowly escaped being seriously hurt on Thursday afternoon by falling ice from a roof on Chambersburg street. Mr. Utz, who is the truant officer, was coming up from the Meade School building after dinner when a large piece of ice fell from the edge of a roof and struck him on the head. A sharp point of the ice cut through his hat and cut his face in two places and the force of the blow stunned him for several minutes.

—The new windows of the Methodist Church arrived this week and the work of setting them in the frames started at once so that they would all be in place before Sunday. The windows are of conventional design, heavily leaded and the coloring in the pastel shades of yellow and green makes an attractive improvement to the interior of the church. There are fourteen in windows in all and already a number have been taken by members of the congregation as memorials. The windows were furnished by the C. Day Judy Co. of Harrisburg.

—Mrs. J. L. Butt, Carlisle street, attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Samuel Doll, in Frederick on Friday.

—Prof. H. M. Roth and the following members of the Adams County Schol Directors' Association, Milton R. Remmel, Mahlon Hartzell, Arthur Griest, Frederick Griest, E. G. Lower, Aaron Weidner and Mr. Berkheimer attended the annual convention of the State School Directors in Harrisburg on Thursday.

Military News.

J. L. Williams, Esq., received this week a cablegram from his brother, Meader I. Williams ,stating that he had arrived safely in France.

J. Preston Hull received a cablegram on Tuesday from his brother-in-law, Harry Warthen, telling of his safe arrival "over there." Mr. Warthen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warthen, of near Knoxlyn.

Charles A. Robinson, who left Gettysburg last summer with a company of Regular Army Bakers, and who arrived in France during the fall, has been granted an honorable discharge on account of ill health, and has returned to his home

—Prof. Paul Miller, who has been a member of the High School Faculty at Weehawken, N. J., has resigned his position and has gone into the Army Y. M. C. A. work as an executive secretary. Mr. Miller has gone immediately into active service and has been placed in charge of a Y. M. C. A. Hut at Camp Travis, San Antonio, Texas.

—Lieut. John C. Gray has received his promotion to captain in the 312th Infantry at Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J. Mrs. Gray before her marriage was Miss Goldie Widler, West Middle street.

—Ex-Postmaster W. H. Emmert, of New Oxford, has received an appointment as shoe inspector for the Government and will report for duty at Philadelphia on Monday.

—Lieut. W. D. Himes, formerly of New Oxford, has been promoted to captaincy in the Ordnance Corps of the National Army.

County Quota Filled.

In response to instructions to send eleven men from Adams county to fill the first quota eleven boys of the county were sent notices to report at Gettysburg on February 7th to go to Camp Meade on the W. M. R. R. train leaving here at 6.13 P. M. The last of the first quota to go were the following:

Franklin Beaver Cluck, Fairfield.
Clarence E. Wolf, Freedom Twp.
George Edgar Naylor, Biglerville.
John Wm. Bream, Cashtown.
Gerald Clarence Bixler, Buffalo.
Hayes T. Groft, McSherrystown.
Grayson O. Deardorff, Biglerville.
Roy M. Crawmer, Littlestown 4.
Andrew Wagaman, Fayetteville 2.
Guy F. Smith, New Oxford 3.
Charles S. Diller, New Oxford.

The boys assembled at the Court House on Thursday afternoon and the Gettysburg Red Cross Chapter now having sweaters, each one of the boys was presented with a heavy winter sweater and were delighted with the gift. After receiving instructions from the Local Registration Board they marched to the depot and took train for Camp Meade. If the entire eleven are able to measure up to the next test of the army surgeons at the camp, the first quota of the county will be complete.

Finding Out Your Income.

Somebody is going to tell on you if you don't pay your income tax. Congress has fixed it so that somebody must tell, whether he wants to or not.

One section of the War Income Tax Law, exhaustively comprehensive in scope, requires every person, without exception, and every corporation, partnership, association, and insurance company, in whatever capacity acting, who paid $800.00 or more to another person, corporation, partnership, association, or insurance company, as interest, rent, salaries, wages, premiums, annuities, compensation, remuneration, emoluments, or other fixed or determinable gains, profits, and income, to report the name and address of the person, corporation, etc., to whom the payment was made, together with the amount of payment, to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington using a form prescribed for the purpose—Form 1099, now to be had from all Collector's Offices. The forms must be filled out and returned on or before March 1, 1918, accompanied by Form 1096, which is a letter of transmittal and affidavit certifying the accuracy of Form 1099.

The Plattsburg Manual Advises

the daily use of Foot-Ease in the Shoes. There is nothing so good for the quick relief of Corns, Bunions, Chilblains, Blisters, Sore Spot or Callouses as this old, standard remedy. Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder to shake into the shoes. Sold everywhere. Don't accept any substitute.

MAN past 30 with horse and buggy to sell Stock Condition Powder in Adams County. Salary $70 per month. Address 9 Industrial Bldg, Indianapolis, Ind.

Joseph H. Krug has sold his interest in the Littlestown Garage Co. to Harry G. Myers. Mr. Myers, who is now living in the country, will move to Littlestown.

THREE OF THE SAME NAME

THREE MEMBERS OF TROSTLE FAMILY DIE IN PAST WEEK.

Hiram W. Trostle, the Arendtsville Merchant, Mrs. Emanuel Trostle and Mrs. H. E. Trostle.

Hiram W. Trostle, senior member of the firm of H. W. Trostle & Son, merchants at Arendtsville, died Wednesday after an illness of three weeks aged 71 years, 5 months and 25 days. Mr. Trostle was born at York Springs, a son of Abram and Eliza Pensyl Trostle. He was educated at York Springs and for four years was a clerk in the store of Griest & Bowers, merchants. In the spring of 1876 he moved to Arendtsville where he established his store, later taking in his son, Allen B. Trostel, as a partner. Mr. Trostel was married in October, 1875, to Miss Hannah Elizabeth Bream, who survives him together with these sons and daughters: Allen B. Trostel, of Arendtsville; Rev. Ira W. Trostel, of Berrien Springs, Mich.; Mrs. Oscar C. Rice, of near Biglerville; and Mrs. Francis Knouss of Bethlehem. He also leaves a brother and three sisters: ex-Associate Judge George H. Trostel, of York Springs; Mrs. Sarah Deardorff, of Flohr's Church; Mrs. Adam Deardorff, of Cashtown; and Mrs. David Brown, of East Berlin.

Mrs. Mary Rebecca Trostle died at her home in York Springs on Monday from pneumonia aged 74 years, 3 months and 12 days. She was born in Tyrone township. On Dec. 19, 1865, she was married to Emanuel H. Trostle. They moved to York Springs 38 years ago and Mr. Trostle died eleven years ago on Tuesday. The funeral was held on Thursday by Rev. Paul Gladfelter assisted by Rev. James Doherty, with interment in Sunnyside Cemetery. She is survived by two sons, Harvey B. Trostle, of Hanover; Charles M. Trostle, of Ardmore; two daughters, Mrs. Jacob Newcomer and Mrs. L. Earle Miller, of York Springs. Two sisters and a brother survive: Mrs. John A. Guise and Albert A. Miller, of Huntington township, and Mrs. Anna Guise, of Tyrone township.

Mrs. H. E. Trostle died at her home in Harrisburg on Monday from pneumonia aged about 44 years. She was born near York Springs but has been a resident of Harrisburg for the past 18 years. She was a former Adams county school teacher. The funeral was held at Harrisburg on Wednesday and the body was taken to Dillsburg on Thursday and interment was made at Sunnyside Cemetery, York Springs, Rev. Paul Gladfelter conducting the services at the grave. Mrs. Trostle is survived by her husband and two daughters, Catherine and Esther. Two sisters and a brother also survive: Mrs. J. B. Eby, of Morganza, and Mrs. Stella Weidner, of Vineland, and Wm. Van Scoyoc, of York Springs.

Royal Allen Leese, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Leese, of Gulden's Station, this county, was the first Adams countian to lose his life in the war, not by disease. The news of his death was received by his parents by telegram from Bureau of Navigation. "The Bureau regrets to inform you that your son, Royal Allen Leese, gunner's mate, first class, U. S. N., was lost overboard from the U. S. F. L-10, on January 25th, and the remains were not recovered. The Bureau of Navigation extends its deepest sympathy to you at this time and any inquiries should be addressed Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, Washington, D. C. Signed L. P. Chalmer." Royal Allen Leese enlisted in the U. S. Navy seven years ago and advanced until assigned to submarine L-10 about a a year ago. He was home last October and was a few days less than 23 years of age. He is survived by his parents, four brothers and a sister.

S. Frank Lubold died Jan. 22, in the West Jersey Hospital in Camden, N. J., of valvular heart trouble. He was the husband of Hermie Lubold, nee Dick, formerly of Adams county.

Mrs. Margaret Brown Jacobs, wife of Samuel Jacobs, died at her home in East Berlin on last Saturday aged 72 years, 5 months and 27 days. She leaves her husband and three brothers, Jacob Brown, David Brown, and Peter Brown, all of near East Berlin. The funeral was held on Tuesday with services at the Brethren Church in East Berlin, and interment in the cemetery adjoining Mummert's Meeting House.

George P. Allen, 61 years old, died Wednesday of last week at his late residence in York after an extended illness, during which he was at various times a patient at the Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia; St. Joseph's Hospital, Lancaster; and the York Hospital. He was a member of the Sons of Veterans, Cigar Makers' Union, and the Blue Label League. In the latter two organizations he at various times held office. He was treasurer of the Cigar Makers' Union

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ASSIGNEE'S PUBLIC SALE.

On Saturday, February 9, 1918.

The undersigned, assignee of Milton M. Kindig and wife, of Mt. Joy township, Adams county, Pa., in trust for the benefit of creditors, by virtue of an order of sale issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, will offer at public sale the following real estate:

No. 1. A desirable farm in Mt. Joy township, Adams county, located about 2 1-2 miles from Barlow and 3 miles from Hoffman Orphanage, adjoining lands of Austin Spangler, P. G. Hilterbrick, Amos Snyder and Samuel Fox, containing 97 acres and 2 perches, more or less, of which about 2 acres is timber improved with a two and a half story brick dwelling, brick summer house, bank barn with steel roof, hay shed, wagon shed, 2 hog pens and all outbuildings, with water at the house and barn.

No. 2. The undivided one-eighth interest of the assignor in a farm situate in Union township, Adams county, fronting on the public road, adjoining lands formerly of Charles Spangler, Daniel Sell, John Duttera and widow LeFevre, coataining about 127 acres, known as the Daniel Sell farm, and improved with a two story brick dwelling house, bank barn, wagon shed and good outbuildings.

No. 3. The undivided one-eighth of the three-fourth interest of the assignor in a house and lot in the Borough of Littlestown, Adams county, fronting on the west side of South Queen street, beginning at a corner of a 16-foot alley at its intersection with East King street, thence southwest 48 feet to line formerly of Peter Lawrence's heirs, thence northwest 273 feet to a 20-foot public alley, thence northeast 103 feet to corner of alley, thence along the 16-foot alley southeast 264 feet to the place of beginning, improved with a two and a half story frame dwelling house, stable and hog pen.

No. 4. The undivided one-eighth interest of the assignor in a tract of woodland in Union township, adjoining lands formerly of Edw. Rebert, Mr. Wildasin and John Bast, containing two acres and 80 perches, more or less.

No. 5. The undivided one-eighth interest of the assignor in a tract of timberland situate in Germany township, fronting on the public road, adjoining lands formerly of Joseph Anthony and A. Winton Crouse, containing about 5 acres and 23 perches and covered with good standing timber, mostly oak and chestnut.

The sale will commence promptly on tract No. 1 at 12 o'clock noon, on No. 3 at 2 o'clock P. M., where Nos. 3, 4 and 5 will be sold in order and then on the Littlestown property at 3 o'clock P. M., when the terms and conditions will be made known by

EUGENE S. KELLY,
Assignee.
Gettysburg, Pa.

J. L. Williams, Atty.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

RECEIVER'S SALE.
VALUABLE NEW OXFORD PROPERTY.

On Saturday, March 2, 1918.

The undersigned, receiver of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company a corporation, in pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams Coupnty, sitting in equity, will sell at public sale on the premises the valuable business property of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company, a corporation, located in the Borough of New Oxford, Adams County, Pa., fronting on Baltimore street of said borough and bounded on the one side by land of John S. Weaver and on the other by twenty foot alley. In addition to the lot fronting on Baltimore street there are two lots in the rear containing 225 perches of land and forming one complete tract and most conveniently located for warehouse and manufacturing purposes with the Western Maryland railroad passing through the tract and with swithces on either side of the main tracks. Improved with large feed mill, the front part weatherboarded and brick back building, brick engine and boiler room, office building for the coal and lumber business, wagon scales, coal and lumber yard, one siding for the mill and one coal trestle, stable, and two lumber sheds. The mill is equipped with 110 horse power boiler and 72 horse power engine, Putnam Engine Co., and all connecting apparatus, also equipped with a Lisk grinding and shredding mill, belting, castings, etc. The last use of the mill was the manufacture of feed. The property could not be better situated for any manufacturing purpose.

At the same time will be sold personal property, roll top desk, flat top desk, chair, stove and pipe, 2 scales, 5 trucks, shovels, bags, 100 lb. glutten and other articles.

Sale to begin at 2 o'clock P. M. The boiler and engine will be offered separately and with the buildings. Terms will be made known on day of sale; possession can be had April 1st, 1918.

C. J. WEANER,
Receiver.

AN ORDINANCE

Levying the tax rate for the Borough of Gettysburg, Pa., for the year 1918.

Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Gettysburg, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same:

Section 1. That for the year 1918 there is levied a tax of 10 mills for general borough expenses.

Section 2. That for the year 1918 there is levied a tax of 2 1-2 mills for the payment of interest accruing on bonds, and for the redemption of such bonds as may legally mature.

Adopted by Council this 18th day of January, 1918.

J. W. McDONNELL,
President.

Attest:
C. B. KITZMILLER, Sec'y.

Approved this 19th day of January, 1918.

J. W. EICHOLTZ,
Burgess.

Clean White Rags Wanted at this Office.

The Mid-winter Sale

Beginning **FRIDAY, FEB. 1st.**

Includes the Following Merchandise

About 200 Prs. Women's Shoes

100 PAIRS

Broken sizes $1.48—$1.98—$2.48 (not a pair in the lot that sold for less than $3 00.)

50 PAIR LOT

Of Patent Leathers with Cloth Tops and French heel—Button and Lace—Stylish and good fitters—widths B, C, D at $2.48 (sold originally for $3.50—$4.00—$5.00.)

50 PAIR LOT

Of Kid Lace Shoes with light colored cloth tops. The leather part of the shoes in Black—Gray—or Brown with light contrast tops. This lot is all new goods of this season on which we bought a little heavily—snappy and Up-to-Date, sold originally at $6.00 and 7.00, now $3.98 & 4.98.

SMALL BROKEN LOT

Of Buff shade cloth shoes with suede wing tips—Beauties—this seasons—reduced from $8.00 to $5.48.

About 100 Pairs Men's Shoes

A Lot of "WALK OVERS" at $3.48

In shapes that we have discontinued. They are worth today at least $5.00 to $5.50, but are just enough away from the shapes we are now using to make them move slowly at the higher prices. These are splendid values and should move right out.

A SMALL LOT

Of Men's and Boy's Shoes—about 50 pairs in all—one or two pairs of a kind—genuine bargains. All sorts of shoes at all sorts of prices.

Men's Hats - Hats - Hats

SOME HATS--Yes Sir--About 200 of them at 98cts. -- $1.48 -- $198.

If you need a hat for general wear (and in fact many of them would look a lot better on you on Sunday than the one you are now wearing) buy from this lot. In the last year, the hat prices have at least doubled. These goods are old quality—not much out of date, and if you need a top-piece, don't pass this opportunity. Don't put it off either—these hats are going to sell.

A FEW OTHER BROKEN LOTS

In the Men's Furnishing Dept. All of which should demand your attention as to worth—but not big enough to demand full description—Pajamas (small sizes)—Shirts 68 and 98c. Neckties, 18c,—Assorted sizes, high lay-down collars at half the old price 4 for 25c—Mufflers at half price—Caps 18c—little boy's hats 18c—little boy's beautifull quality Tam-O-Shanters in blue cloth at 18c. If the lad wears a Tam--now is your chance.

None of the above goods will be sold or reserved until Friday morning.

Two rules of this sale:

1. CASH ONLY
2. NO GOODS ON APPROVAL

Eckert's Store

"ON THE SQUARE"

National Army Notes.

Among the officers at Camp Meade mentioned for promotion in recent orders is Jno. P. Butt, Jr., Carlisle St., who is made 1st Lieut. The following college boys have received advancement: Lt. Frederick Muhlenberg to captain, and Second Lieutenants C. M. Sincell, Frank Gold, W. E. Morrison, and Clyde B. Fasick, to first lieutenants.

Rev. Chas. Gruber, a senior at the Seminary, has received his commission as a chaplain with rank of first lieutenant and reports to Camp Meade this week.

Rev. Albert Bell has been commissioned as a chaplain with rank of first lieutenant and reported this week at Camp Dix, N. J. Mrs. Bell is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Drum, Centre Square.

Congressman Brodbeck has notified Radford Lippy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lippy, of Chambersburg street, that he has been selected as first alternate for the next appointment from this district to the United States Military Academy at West Point.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John C. Lower, deceased, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania. Letters of administration with the will annexed on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to F. MARK BREAM,
Administrator c. t. a.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS.

You are notified that the law requiring payment of dog tax this year is different from that of any past year—this year the constable will not come around to kill your dog and give a chance to pay your tax. This year it is the duty of constables and our duty to see that all persons who own dogs or allow dogs on their premises and who have not paid a dog tax are arrested and prosecuted and they will be fined not more than $100 or sent to jail for not more than one month. We must do this or be prosecuted ourselves. The time for paying this tax was Jan. 15, but as this is a new law and not generally understood we will not have any one arrested before Feb. 15, 1918. It is not safe for you to wait that long as any one can have you arrested at any time. License tags can be procured from the County Treasurer by paying him for each male dog $1.00, or $2.00 for each female dog or by sending this amount plus 3 cents postage by mail together with the sex, age, breed, color of dog, name of previous owner, your assessment district and post office.

By order of the County Commissioners.

H. B. SLAGLE
H. J. MARCH
E. C. KEEFER

Attest:
G. ALLEN YOHE, Clerk.

Western Maryland Ry.

EFFECTIVE FEB. 1, 1918.

Subject to change without notice.

8.58 a. m. Daily except Sunday, for Hanover, York and intermediate points.

9.55 a. m. Daily for Hagerstown, Waynesboro, Chambersburg, Hancock, Cumberland, Pittsburgh and West Virginia points.

3.48 p. m. Daily except Sunday, for Hagerstown and intermediate stations.

6.18 p. m. Daily for Hanover, Baltimore and intermediate stations

S. ENNES, Gen. M'gr. C. F. STEWART, Gen. Pass. Agt.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Thursday, February 21, 1918.

The undersigned intending to reduce stock will sell at public sale on Thursday, February 21, 1918, on the Reuben Fiscel farm in Mt. Joy township, on the road leading from Round Top to St. Mark's Church, on the Baltimore pike, about 3 1-2 miles from Gettysburg, **43 Head of Livestock** as follows: No. 1, pair of mules coming 5 years old, one an excellent leader and hard to beat, the other a good off-side worker. No. 2, bay horse 13 years old, will work wherever hitched and an excellent single driver. Nos. 3 and 4, pair grays 8 and 9 years old, 1 a mare, the other a horse, will work wherever hitched, and make a fine double team. No. 5, sorrel mare 6 years old, a good off-side worker and good single driver, with plenty of speed. No. 6, bay mare, 4 years old, good off-side worker and good single driver. No. 7, black horse, 3 years old, will weigh about 1250, good off-side worker and well broken. No. 8, bay mare colt, 2 years old, with good size. These horses are all fearless of all road objects. **17 Head of Dehorned Cattle,** consisting of 5 head of milk cows. No. 1, blue cow will be fresh the middle of October. No. 2, Durham cow, will be fresh by day of sale. No. 3, Durham cow, will be fresh by middle of September. No. 4, Jersey cow, will be fresh by day of sale. No. 5, Durham heifer with calf by her side. **9 Head of Heifers,** Durham and Guernsey, most of these heifers are close springers. **3 Stock Bulls,** 1 Durham, weighs about 800 lbs.; 2 Holsteins fit for service. **13 Head of Hogs,** 3 brood sows, full Berkshire, Nos. 1 and 2 will have pigs by day of sale. No. 3 will farrow the middle of March. **15 head of Shoats,** ranging in weight from 40 to 60 lbs. Anyone wishing to buy some good stock should not fail to attend this sale. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock; a credit of 10 months will be given; further conditions by day of sale.

MRS. DENNIS FISCEL.

Thompson, Auct.
L. U. Collins, Clerk.

Committee for 3rd Loan Drive.

Dr. W. A. Granville, chairman for the Third Liberty Loan drive in Adams county has appointed the following committee to assist in organizing the campaign, W. C. Sunday, chairman of publicity, and S. Miley Miller organizing secretary.

—Mrs. Mary Reinecker has gone to Philadelphia to visit relatives for several days.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Tuesday, February 5, 1918.

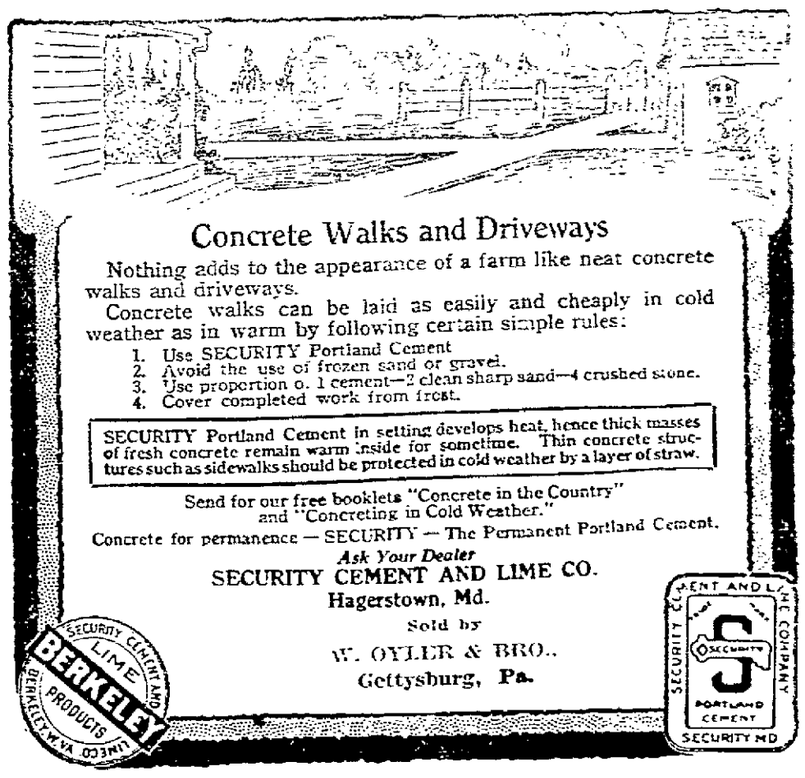
The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will sell at public sale on the above day and date, at his farm in Straban township, formerly known as the William Bringman place, located 3 miles north of Gettysburg at a point about 1-4 mile to the left of the Harrisburg road, the following described personal property:

5 Head of Horses... Nos. 1 and 2, pair of black horses that will weigh from 1200 to 1300 pounds apiece, 7 and 10 years old respectively, the one is a good leader and they are an excellent pair of horses. No. 3, brown horse, 9 years old, is a good worker. No. 4, sorrel mare, 4 yours old, with foal, is a good worker. No. 5, brown colt coming 2 years old. **17 Head of Cattle,** 9 of them milk cows and 3 of that number have calves by their sides, some others will be fresh by day of sale; 2 fine bulls, 1 is a 2-year-old Durham, the other a Guernsey 2 years old; 3 head of young cattle, a Holstein, a red and a spotted heifer. **Hogs:** 30 head of shoats and hogs that will weigh from 60 to 200 pounds each. **Goats:** 2 goats, male and female. **Poultry:** 150 chickens to be sold by the pound; 3 turkey hens; 6 pairs of guineas. **Farming Implements.** Good 2 or 4-horse wagon, Osborne binder, good as new, Osborne mower, good as new, Osborne [illegible] rake, [illegible] harrow, Buckeye grain drill, Superior [illegible] corn [illegible] used but [illegible] as new, [illegible] land roller, [illegible] Hence & Drumgold cultivator, used but one season, Meyerville, Wierd and Syracuse plows, 1 spring and 1 cutter harrow, Dayton wagon, set of hay ladders, 16 feet long, single, double and triple trees, jockey sticks and middle rings, log, cow, breast and tie chains, sleigh, good as new, new wheelbarrow, Blue Ball cream separator, lot of forks, shovels and rakes. **Harness:** 4 [illegible] front gears, collars, bridles, check lines, long line, tie straps, etc. **Ford Truck** in No. 1 condition, nearly tired, has a good body that is [illegible] ft. in back, will carry from [illegible] to 1500 pounds. This truck is guaranteed. Numerous other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock when terms and conditions will be made known by

HARRY VENDI

Trostle, Auct.
C. [illegible], Clerk.

RAGS WANTED



Post Inventory

BARGAINS

White Gable Ware

We have a lot of white Table Ware, slightly damaged, which we are selling off at HALF PRICE. This is especially a bargain now on account of the extremely high prices of this class of goods as well as scarcity of same. The lot includes:

Meat Dishes, several sizes **Sauce Dishes**
Saucers **Plates** **Fruit Saucers**

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Have your dealer show you Bien Jolie Brassieres, if not stocked, we will gladly send him, prepaid, samples to show you.

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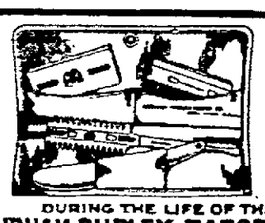

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ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Estate of Jesse Peters, late of the Township of Butler, Adams, county, Pa., deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of the above named decedent, have been granted by the Register of Wills of Adams county, unto the undersigned. All persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to the said decedent to make payment to the undersigned without delay.

W. H. PETERS, Biglerville, Pa.
JACOB F. PETERS, Tyrone Twp., Adams Co., Pa.
Administrators.

Or their Atty.,
JOHN D. KEITH, Esq., Gettysburg, Pa.

Clean White Rags Wanted at this office.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Mary A. Walter, deceased, late of the Borough of Fairfield, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania.—Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in Gettysburg, Adams county, Pennsylvania.

J. L. BUTT
E. RUSSEL WILLS
Executors of the last will and testament of Mary A. Walter, deceased.

Or their Attys.,
Butt & Butt, Esqs., Gettysburg, Pa.

Read the COMPILER

HIGHEST PEAKS NOT SCALED

Mountain Climbers Discuss Possibility of Daring Rare Atmosphere Above 24,000 Feet.

At a meeting of the Royal Geographical society, Dr. A. M. Kellas presented an elaborate discussion of the question whether it is possible for well-trained mountaineers to ascend to the summits of the loftier peaks of the Himalaya mountains, more than 25,000 feet in altitude, none of which has so far been climbed.

The present altitude record in mountaineering is 24,000 feet, by the duke of the Abruzzi's expedition to the Karakorum, 1909. The altitude of the highest mountain in the Himalayas and in the world—Everest—is 29,141 feet. At that height the barometric pressure and the oxygen supply is only about one-third as great as at sea level, says the Scientific American.

The experiences of balloonists is not conclusive as to the physiological difficulties of such an ascent, because the rapid rise of a balloon does not give the aeronaut time to become acclimatized to great altitudes. On the basis of a large amount of data Doctor Kellas (himself an experienced mountaineer) expresses the opinion that a man in first-rate training, acclimatized to maximum possible altitude, could make the ascent to Mount Everest, provided the physical difficulties are not insuperable.

A supply of sodium peroxide, to provide oxygen as an occasional refreshment would be of much assistance. At present one of the "physical" difficulties of ascending Everest is the fact that the government of India will not let travelers approach within one hundred miles of the mountain.

SILENT MUSIC FOR HOSPITAL

System Arranged So That Patients May Hear Phonograph Without Disturbing Others Near By.

A system of "silent music," installed by a Chicago firm in a hospital at Ottawa, Ill., is described as consisting of a spring-motor cabinet with a turntable similar to the ordinary phonograph without a horn. Attached to the cabinet is a special music-transmitter, corresponding to the tone-arm and reproducer on the ordinary phonograph. The transmitter is energized by the vibrations of the needle traveling on the record, and transmits these electrical vibrations over a system of wires throughout the hospital. The wiring terminates at outlet jacks alongside of patients' beds.

The patient can be furnished with a head receiver attached to a cord and plug. When the plug is inserted in the jack alongside of the bed, the patient may hear the music by placing the receiver against the ear. The recorder is inaudible unless the receiver is held close to the ear, and consequently one patient may receive entertainment while the patient in an adjoining bed may sleep without disturbance.

Far Too Rich to Be Safe.

Madame Lebaudy, who lost securities to the value of $17,000 through the capture of the Prins Henrik by the Germans, will not be very seriously inconvenienced by her loss. In prewar days her fortune was estimated at $8,000,000, so she is the richest woman in France and, next to Fran Krupp von Bohlen, the richest in Europe.

Mme. Lebaudy holds her wealth in horror, and lives under an assumed name in order to avoid publicity. Her residence all the year round is a small flat in Versailles, where the domestic staff consists of one servant, who is assisted in the work by her mistress. Mme. Lebaudy distributes in charity nearly the whole of her income, most of her donations being made anonymously.

One Miracle Led to Another.

A man with huge smoked goggles and a pitiful stoop groped his way along a street in Buffalo the other day. Patrolman McNamara watched him from afar. He stopped two soldiers in uniform and told them that he was a victim of the Mexican war, and after describing the horrors of the struggle that had cost him his sight, held out a tin cup. But his story did not move the soldiers, and they passed on.

"Oh, you think that just because you wear uniforms you're somebody!" he shouted after them. Patrolman McNamara thought it so remarkable for a blind man to sense the presence of a uniform that he restored the sight of that war victim by the laying on of hands.—Buffalo Express.

Vicar as a Farm Laborer.

Rev. Reginald James, vicar of St. John's church at Watford, England, writing in his parish magazine, says: "I have chosen the part of helping my nation by offering myself for most of the week as an agricultural laborer to a neighboring farmer, who is hard put to carry on without help. Fortunately I have been brought up to manual labor, and the farmer thinks I shall do very well. I think I shall look very well in my new vestments. I have always longed for a smock. It is quite in keeping with my 'high church' ways, for the monks of old were great agriculturists."

What Crusoe Forgot.

Mother was reading the story of Robinson Crusoe and Albert was trying to think of what he would have done under the same circumstances.

"Mother," he said, "there was one thing that they forgot."

"What was that, dear?"

"Why, a can opener."

UNUSUAL BOATS ON ATLANTIC

Demand for Tonnage for War Cargoes Brings Into Service Types That Are Rarely Seen.

Many vessels of unusual type have appeared on the Atlantic in recent months because of the demand for tonnage for war cargoes. [illegible] is the Arizona, formerly a fruit-carrying ship [illegible] in the lumber trade on the western coast.

Like some other American cargo craft the John Palmer has an odd character with a [illegible]. She was broader than the Tacoma W. Lake, however, for she focked on her cargo at [illegible] ged to make port. While carrying lumber from Galveston to [illegible] the Palmer was torpedoed 200 [illegible] of the [illegible] port.

After the torpedoing the ship was [illegible] afterward [illegible] tow. A [illegible] ing [illegible] remained on board. The Palmer eventually reached port and was able to deliver her cargo, although she had to be beached.

The John Palmer is now being repaired at Genoa, and it is expected she will be seaworthy in a short time and bring an Italian cargo to New York. She was built of wood at San Francisco in 1901.

HOLDERS OF ROYAL WARRANT

Tradesmen in England Who Received This Mark of Favor Each Year Are Objects of Envy.

Once a year, in the New Year's Gazette, appears a long list of tradesmen who are holders of royal warrants. This list at the present time exceeds 1,200 names. Since the death of Queen Victoria considerably over 300 names have been added.

It is a privilege greatly coveted and much envied—this of the royal warrant, for it is not one lightly bestowed upon every tradesman who has supplied goods to his majesty's household. It is distinctively a mark of royal favor Tit-Bits says, and to some extent a testimonial to the excellence of the purveyor's goods.

Its principal outward sign is the use of the royal arms over the shop front and upon the writing paper of the warrant holder, and it is an offense against the law for any person not being a warrant holder to use the arms. Apparently, however, its misuse is a common occurrence, for during recent years hundreds of cases of improper use have been dealt with by the Royal Warrant Holders' association.

GET CREDIT FOR FARM WORK

Purdue University Students Who Go Home to Help Raise Crops, Retain School Standing.

A young man, a senior student at Purdue university, entered the office of W. E. Stone, president of the institution, and placed on the president's desk a telegram. It was from the young man's brother. It read thus:

"You must return home at once. You will find the automobile in the garage at Thorntown. I have enlisted. Good-by."

"What am I to do?" the young student asked. "The farm has been turned over to my two brothers and myself and we have to run it. If this brother has enlisted the only thing I can do is go back home and help with the farm."

The student was to be graduated form Purdue in June, and he feared that he would lose his credits and his diploma.

President Stone told him that his duty was there, and that he would not lose any of his credits, but that he would retain all of his rights in the university and would be graduated with his class in June, the same as he [illegible] in school.

Days to Come.

As vacation time brings one [illegible] some quiet countryside of the United States there comes a painful [illegible] the contrast between what we see here and the scenes of desolation pictured in all our magazines. The vineyards about Lake Erie are full of Sauternes [illegible] those of Champagne [illegible] shell fire. The orchards of California and Virginia are repeating their bloom in [illegible] but what of those fought through by armies of czar and kaiser? You can hear a woodpecker half a mile away in the vines of Cuyahoga canyon, but there's a different story to tell of the blasted and blood stained woods of Argonne. And yet this fever of war will pass. The guns will have had their day, however long and terrible, and in the end nature and the patient folk who serve her will come to their own again.—Collier's.

Seeds for Distribution.

Congressman Brodbeck, of the York-Adams district, has been notified by the Department of Agriculture that the spring allotment of vegetables and flower seeds for the Twentieth Congressional District, has been placed to his credit for free distribution. Any person wishing to receive such seeds for spring planting may place an order by mailing a card to the congressman, stating the character of seeds desired.

In addition to the seeds, an instructive pamphlet entitled "The Small Vegetable Garden," containing suggestions for utilizing limited areas, will be sent to those applying for seeds. The publication has been issued by the Department of Agriculture in view of the fact that many citizens will again cultivate vacant lots and back yards during the coming year.

Pay Income Tax Quick.

Income tax payers are informed that returns must be made on or before March 1st, 1918, and while it is their right to postpone payment of the tax until June 15, Collector B. F. Davis, of the Ninth District, Lancaster, Pa., is urging tax payers as a matter of patriotism to make payment at the time of filing the return, on or before March 1, 1918.

The Government will appreciate the prompt payment of taxes if the tax payer is able to make such payment without undue inconvenience to himself. Money will win this war and the need of it is constant and urgent for the proper equipment and care of our boys in France or soon to be there.

A similar request by Collector Davis last year met with a prompt and large response.

The public is informed that a discount at the rate of three per cent per annum will be allowed on all payments of income tax made in advance or at the time of filing the return.

VALUE OF LIMBS APPRAISED

Arrangement of Pension Lists in England Has Humorous as Well as Pathetic Aspect.

If the average man were asked to state the proportional value of his limbs, he would probably reply that such a task was as impossible to perform as it was ridiculous to set, but the pensions ministry have had to make such an assessment recently, remarks London Tit-Bits. A new order in council has stipulated the weekly pension to be allotted to men who have lost a limb, and the list has its humors as well as its pathetic aspect. Thus we find it more profitable to lose your leg at the thigh than above the knee; in fact, the place of amputation selected between the thigh and the knee may make a difference of 3s 6d a week. A leg taken off at the hip brings in a pension of 16s, a short thigh with pelvic band 14s, above the knee 12s 6d and below the knee 10s 6d.

Pensions for the arm, too, have been measured by inches, the right arm carrying a value of 1s more than the left. Thus the right arm amputated at the shoulder carries with it a pension of 16s a week, above or through the elbow 14s and below 11s 6d. This rating suggests a problem. Why should the extent of amputation from elbow to shoulder vary as much as 2s, and from elbow downward only 2s 6d? The rising scale suggests that the lower half of the arm is worth less than the upper, a puzzle intensified by the fact that a man cannot lose the upper part without loss of the lower.

A Man's Work.

The distinction and end of a soundly constituted man is his labor. Use is inscribed on all his faculties. Use is the end to which he exists. As the tree exists for its fruit, so a man for his work. A fruitless plant, an idle animal, does not stand in the universe. They are all toiling, however secretly or slowly, in the province assigned them, and to a use in the economy of the world, to higher and more catholic service. And the man seems to play, by his instincts and activity, a certain part that even tells on the general face of the planet, drains swamps, leads rivers into dry countries for their irrigation, perforates forests and stony mountain chains with roads, hinders the inroads of the sea on the continent, as if dressing the globe for happier races.—Emerson.

DOUBLY PROVEN.

Gettysburg Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This Gettysburg citizen testified long ago.

Told of quick relief—of undoubted benefit.

The facts are now confirmed.

Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit.

John J. Tawney, 234 Baltimore St., Gettysburg, says: "I suffered off and on from rheumatic pains and kidney ailments. My back ached constantly and often in the morning I was so lame and stiff that I could hardly get out of bed. My kidneys acted irregularly. Someone advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I got some at the People's Drug Store. I was surprised at the quick relief I got. I am not bothered by rheumatic pains now and I am much better all around."

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CORN WILL WIN DEMOCRACY'S WAR

America's Greatest Cereal Crop Is Now Moving to Market.

MAINSTAY IN NATION'S CRISIS.

Surplus Wheat of the United States Has Been Sent to Famine Threatened Europe.

America's great corn crop, exceeding 3,000,000 bushels, will save the world's food situation, officials of the United States food administration believe.

Corn is the nation's best food cereal, housewives are beginning to realize. It contains all the elements needed to keep the body in a state of health and when used according to the scores of tried recipes, especially when combined with an added portion of oil or fat, will sustain life indefinitely. Indian warriors in colonial days lived on parched corn alone for many days at a time, and at Valley Forge parched corn was at times the sole ration of the Continental soldiers.

Owing to transportation difficulties caused by the war the corn crop moved more slowly to market this year than ever before. Now, however, the cereal is reaching the millers and consumers. In the meantime the nation's surplus wheat has been sent to Europe.

Today there are approximately 30 bushels of corn for every American. This quantity is greater by five bushels than in former years.

Corn has become the nation's mainstay in the crisis of war.

Just as this cereal saved the first American colonists from famine on many occasions, just as it served as a staple food during the War of the Revolution and during the Civil War, King Corn has again come to the front in the nation's battle with autocracy.

Corn meal is finding greatly increased use in the making of ordinary white bread. Hundreds of housewives and many of the larger bakers are mixing 20 per cent. corn meal with wheat flour to make leavened bread. This kind of a mixture is worked and baked in the same recipes and with the same methods that apply to straight wheat bread.

Corn bread—using corn meal entirely—is gaining a greater popularity than ever before. Housewives are coming to realize that every pound of wheat saved in America means a pound of wheat released for shipment to the nations with which America is associated in the war.

There are a score of corn products that today possess unusual importance for Americans. Corn syrup for sweetening corn cakes and buckwheat cakes and for use in the kitchen instead of granulated sugar is one of the leading products made from corn.

Corn oil, excellent for frying and for every other purpose filled by salad oils, is appearing on the market in large quantities. It comes from the germ of the corn.

MADE-IN-GERMANY LIES CIRCULATED IN CANADA

Canada is also having trouble with Made-in-Germany lies calculated to hinder Canadian food conservation according to an official statement received from the Canadian food controller by the United States food administration.

The stories bothering Canada are of the same general character as those the United States food administrator recently denounced in this country, such as the ridiculous salt and blueing famine fakes and the report that the government would seize housewives' stocks of home canned goods.

The Canadian food controller estimates that when the people listen to and pass on such stories, each one has the power of destruction that lies in a battalion of soldiers.

"Stories without even a vestige of foundation have been scattered broadcast," said the Canadian statement. "Nor have they come to life casually. They have started simultaneously in different parts of the country and in each instance have been calculated to arouse public indignation.

"They are insidious, subtle, persistent. Bit by bit they dissipate public trust, the great essential in the work of food control.

"It lies with every individual to forbear from criticism; to refrain from passing on the vagrant and harmful story, and thus the more effectively to co-operate in work which is going to mean more than the majority of people yet realize."

THE UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION SAYS:

There is no royal road to food conservation. We can only accomplish this by the voluntary action of our whole people, each element in proportion to its means. It is a matter of equality of burden; a matter of minute saving and substitution at every point in the 20,000,000 kitchens, on the 20,000,000 dinner tables, and in the 2,000,000 manufacturing, wholesale and retail establishments of the country.

This Is Our Winter of Test

SERVING food is a local problem for each community. Prices and definite rules for every one cannot be formulated. It is a duty for each one to eat only so much as is necessary to maintain the human body healthy and strong. This winter of 1918 is the period when is to be tested here in America whether our people are capable of voluntary individual sacrifice to save the world. That is the purpose of the organization of the United States Food Administration—by voluntary effort to provide the food that the world needs.

U. S. FOOD ADMINISTRATION

NEED BIG HERDS

Europe's Meat Supply Must Come From America.

Warring Nations Have Depleted Live Stock at Enormous Rate, Even Killing Dairy Cattle For Food.

American stock breeders are being asked to conserve their flocks and herds in order to meet Europe's tremendous demands for meats during the war and probably for many years afterward.

The United States food administration reports that American stock raisers have shown a disposition to co-operate with the government in increasing the nation's supply of live stock.

Germany today is probably better supplied with live stock than any other European nation. When the German armies made their big advance into France and then retreated virtually all the cattle in the invaded territory — approximately 1,800,000 head—were driven behind the German lines.

But in England—where 2,100,000 acres of pasture lands have been turned into grain fields—the cattle herds are decreasing rapidly. One of the reasons apparently is the declining maximum price scale adopted by the English as follows: For September, $17.76 per 100 pounds; October, $17.28; November and December, $16.08; January, $14.40. The effect of these prices was to drive beef animals on the market as soon as possible.

In France the number of cattle as well as the quality have shown an enormous decline during the war. Where France had 14,807,000 head of cattle in 1913, she now has only 12,341,000, a decrease of 16.6 per cent. And France is today producing only one gallon of milk compared to two and one-half gallons before the war.

Denmark and Holland have been forced to sacrifice dairy herds for beef because of the lack of necessary feed.

Close study of the European meat situation has convinced the Food Administration that the future problem of America lies largely in the production of meat producing animals and dairy products rather than in the production of cereals for export when the war will have ceased.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT HELPS PAY FOR BREAD

There has been much misunderstanding about the bread program in England. It is true that the Englishman buys a loaf of bread for less than an American can, but it is poorer bread, and the British government is paying $200,000,000 a year toward the cost of it.

All the grain grown in Great Britain is taken over by the government at an arbitrary price and the imported wheat purchased on the markets at the prevailing market price. This is turned over to the mills by the government at a price that allows the adulterated war bread loaf of four pounds to sell at 18 cents, the two pound loaf at 9 cents and the one pound loaf at 5 cents.

In France, under conditions somewhat similar, but with a larger extraction, the four pound loaf sells for 16 cents.

MAKING MEATLESS DAYS PERMANENT.

In the meatless menu there is a fertile field for developing new and nourishing dishes, according to E. H. Niles, writing in the Hotel Gazette, who believes that the present shortage of meat and fats will not end with the coming of peace, but may grow more acute and continue for five or six years, thus making it worth while to develop menus of grain, vegetables and fish on a more or less permanent basis. Meat can be replaced by cereals, and other protein foods, or may be served in very small portions as a flavoring for other food. In making up meatless menus this author finds our American Creole and southern cuisine a broad field for investigation.

HOME CARD TELLS HOW THE HOUSEWIFE CAN HELP THE SOLDIERS WIN THE WAR

Food Director Heinz Makes Public Latest Program For Conserving Wheat, Meat, Fats and Sugar—He Asks You to Send For Receipt Book.

Now, it's up to the housewife!

President Wilson and Herbert Hoover have told us that FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR, and they have told us how to use the present supply of food to make a war victory possible.

Howard Heinz, Director of the Food Supply Department, Pennsylvania Committee of Public Safety, and Federal Food Administrator for Pennsylvania, recently issued the text of the second Home Card. The card has on it a full explanation of what the United States Food Administration wants you to do to conserve food.

Read every word of it, then read it again.

Clip it from this newspaper and hang it in the kitchen until the regular pasteboard card is mailed to those patriotic women who signed the pledge card last November. The Food Administration in Philadelphia will mail a recipe book to each housewife who signed the pledge card. If you didn't sign, send your name to Food Administration, Bulletin Building, Philadelphia.

The contents of the card, as announced by Mr. Heinz, are as follows:

HANG THIS IN YOUR KITCHEN

UNITED STATES FOOD ADMINISTRATION

HOME CARD 1918

WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP WIN THIS WAR

Our Problem is to feed the Allies and our own soldiers abroad by sending them as much food as we can of the most concentrated nutritive value in the least shipping space. These foods are wheat, beef, pork, butter and sugar.

Our Solution is to eat less of these and as little of all foods as will support health and strength. All saving counts for victory.

The Food Administration asks every loyal American to help win the war by maintaining rigidly, as a minimum of saving, the following program:

Have TWO WHEATLESS DAYS (Monday and Wednesday) every week, and ONE WHEATLESS MEAL in every day.

Explanation—On "Wheatless" days and in "Wheatless" meals of other days use no crackers, pastry, macaroni, breakfast food or other cereal food containing wheat, and use no wheat flour in any form except the small amount that may be needed for thickening soups or gravies, or for a binder in corn bread and other cereal breads. As to bread, if you bake it at home, use other cereals than wheat, and if you buy it, buy only war bread. Our object is, that we should buy and consume one-third less wheat products than we did last year.

Have ONE MEATLESS DAY (Tuesday) in every week and ONE MEATLESS MEAL in every day. Have TWO PORKLESS DAYS (Tuesday and Saturday) in every week.

Explanation—"Meatless" means without any cattle, hog or sheep products. On other days use mutton and lamb in preference to beef or pork. "Porkless" means without pork, bacon, ham, lard or pork products, fresh or preserved. Use fish, poultry and eggs. As a nation we eat and waste nearly twice as much meat as we need.

Make every day a FAT SAVING DAY (Butter, lard, lard-substitutes, etc.)

Explanation—Fry less; bake, broil, boil or stew foods instead. Save meat drippings; use these and vegetable oils for cooking instead of butter. Butter has food values vital to children; therefore, give it to them. Use it only on the table. Waste no soap; it is made from fat. Be careful of all fats. We use and waste two and a half times as much fat as we need.

Make every day a SUGAR-SAVING DAY.

Explanation—Use less sugar. Less sweet drinks and candy containing sugar should be used in war time. As a nation we have used twice as much sugar as we need.

Use FRUITS, VEGETABLES and POTATOES abundantly.

Explanation—These foods are healthful and plentiful, and, at the same time, partly take the place of other foods which we must save. Raise all you can for home use.

Use MILK wisely.

Explanation—Use all of the milk; waste no part of it. The children must have whole milk. Use sour and skim milk in cooking and for cottage cheese.

HOARDING FOOD. Any one buying and holding a larger supply of food now than in peace time, except foods canned, dried or preserved in the home, is helping to defeat the Food Administration in its attempt to secure a just distribution of food and the establishment of fair prices. The food hoarder is working against the common good and even against the very safety of the country. Hoarding food in households is both selfish and unnecessary; the Government is protecting the food supply of its people.

Loyalty in little things is the foundation of the national strength. DISLOYALTY IN LITTLE THINGS GIVES AID TO THE ENEMY. KEEP THE PLEDGE.

Do not limit the food of growing children.

Eat sufficient food to maintain health; the nation needs strong people.

Co-operate with your local and federal food administrators. Take their advice.

Preach and practice the "gospel of the clean plate."

Housekeepers should help the stores to cut down deliveries.

Use local supplies; this saves railroad transportation.

Report to the nearest food administration officer the name and address of any person discouraging the production or saving of food.

WHY WE MUST SAVE FOOD

To the Members of the United States Food Administration:

The men of the Allied Nations are fighting; they are not on the farms. Even the men of the European neutral countries are under arms. The fields of both Allies and neutrals lack man-power, fertilizer and machinery. Hence the production of food by these countries has steadily lessened ever since the beginning of the war, while, at the same time, the shortage of shipping has grown more and more serious, with the consequent steady increase of difficulties in bringing food from the faraway markets of India, Australia and the Argentine.

The situation has become critical. There is simply not enough food in Europe, yet the soldiers of the Allies must be maintained in full strength; their wives and children at home must not face famine; the friendly neutrals must not be starved; and, finally, our own army in France must never lack a needed ounce of food.

There is just one way in which all these requirements can be met. North America must furnish the food. And we must furnish it from our savings because we have already met our normal surplus.

We do not need to starve our own people. We have plenty for ourselves, and it is the duty of every citizen to follow the Food Administration to retain for the people the margin of export surplus sufficient supply of every essential foodstuff. We want nobody in our country to eat less than is necessary for good health and full strength, for America needs the full productive power of its people. Much of the needed saving can be effected by substituting one kind of food for another. But the time has come to put aside all soft phrases and display love. The time has come for sacrifice.

The Allies ask us to meet only their absolutely imperative needs. They are reducing the consumption of their own people to the minimum necessary for health and strength. They are controlling their food by drastic Government regulation. There is even national privation among their women and children; there is starvation in Belgium.

The Allies need wheat and meat and fats and sugar. They must have more of all of these than we have been sending, more than we shall be able to send unless we restrict our own consumption. We can do it without harm, for as a nation, we are today eating and wasting much more food than we need.

The whole great problem of winning the war rests primarily on one thing: the loyalty and sacrifice of the American people in the matter of food. It is not a government responsibility, it is the responsibility of each individual. Each pound of food saved by each American citizen is a pound given to the support of our army, the Allies and the friendly neutrals. Each pound wasted or eaten unnecessarily is a pound withheld from them. It is a direct personal obligation on the part of each of us to some one in Europe whom we are bound to help.

If we are selfish or even careless, we are disloyal, we are the enemy at home. Now is the hour of our testing. Let us make it the hour of our victory, victory over ourselves; victory over the Enemy of Freedom.

HOWARD HEINZ,
Federal Food Administrator for Pennsylvania.

HERBERT C. HOOVER,
United States Food Administrator.

Mechanical Horse in War.

Recently a "mechanical horse" was driven through the streets of Chicago to attract "fighting men" to the army recruiting stations. The powerful tractor, to which a field gun and caisson were hitched, was controlled entirely by two reins in the hands of a driver. It was taken through the congested "loop district" thoroughfares with perfect ease. The plan was employed daily for a fortnight and apparently netted good results, for during the period large numbers of volunteers filed into the recruiting places. Although still little known, the machine is not a new type. Primarily it is intended for agricultural purposes. It is sufficiently striking in appearance and operation, however, to prick the curiosity of the street crowds, and in this capacity it performed valuable work for the army.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

American Woman Aids Wounded.

The wife of Sir David Beatty, commander of the high fleet, who was formerly Miss Ethel Field of Chicago, has thrown open her large estate in England for the exclusive use of wounded British sailors.

It is not generally known that Sir David is a man of immense wealth, but a recent financial census of the British kingdom showed that he is, with the possible exception of Sir John Jellico, the richest man in the British navy.

It also was developed during the same census that Sir David has expended large sums from his personal account for the relief of the families of his sailors who lost their lives in the Jutland battle.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John C. Lower, deceased, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania. Letters of administration with the will annexed on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

F. MARK BREAM,
Administrator c. t. a.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Letters of administration on the estate of Francis R. Berry, late of the Township of Reading, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated.

CHESTER O. CHRONISTER,
Administrator,
Hampton, Pa.

Or his Atty.,
Wm. Arch. McClean, Esq.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

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DEATHS.

(Continued from page 1.)

for a number of years and president of the Blue Label League for several successive terms. He is survived by his wife, three sons, one brother, James Allen, of Rreading, and a sister, Mrs. O. H. Peters, of Litttlestown.

Ezra H. Funt, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Howard Funt, and a former resident of Arendtsville, died on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Annie Lawver, South Stratton street, Gettysburg, with whom he boarded. He had been ill for several weeks, death being caused by peritonitis, aged 35 years, 11 months and 21 days. Mr. Funt was a stone mason by trade but was lately employed at the plant of the Auburn Shale Brick Company. He leaves three brothers and a sister: Sherman Funt of York Springs; John Funt, of Biglerville; Harry Funt, of near Biglerville; and Mrs. Allen Osborne, of near Bendersville; also a step-sister, Mrs. Allen Swartz, of Mt. Joy township. The body will be taken to Arendtsville on Thursday and services held in the Reformed Church, Arendtsville, by Rev. T. C. Hesson, interment in Arendtsville Cemetery.

Henry Grove, aged 56 years, 3 months and 1 day, died at his home in Lancaster on Sunday from paralysis. He was born in Union township on the old Grove homestead, near Christ Church, and was a son of the late Samuel Grove and wife. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Edna Hardwick, of Silver City, Neb., and Miss Alverta Grove, at home, and one son, Emory Grove, of Hanover. Four brothers, John and Abraham Grove, of White Hall; Prof. Martin Grove, of Philadelphia; and Samuel Grove, of York, and two sisters, Miss Mary Grove, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Geo. D. Kindig, of Hanover, also survive.

Mrs. Amanda Kauffman died at the County Home last Saturday from chronic nephritis, aged 50 years, 10 months and 15 days. She was a daughter of the late Christian and Matilda Kauffman, of Latimore township. She leaves one broher, John L. Kauffman, of York Springs, and one sister, Mrs. James Paxton, of York Springs. Funeral services were held on Tuesday with interment in Franklin Cemetery.

Henrietta Elizabeth McIntire, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James G. McIntire, of East Berlin died last Friday morning from whooping cough and pneumonia, aged 3 months and 1 day. Funeral was held Saturday, Rev. H. S. Duttera officiating, interment in Union Cemetery.

Levi Musselman died last Thursday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jacob Bucher, of Mummasburg, after an illness of only a few days, aged 89 years, 10 months and 4 days. He leaves one daughter and seven sons: Mrs. Jacob Bucher, of Mummasburg; John Musselman, of Wyoming; Martin Musselman, of Oklahoma; Edw. Musselman, of Virginia; Samuel Musselman, of Cumberland county; Chris Musselman, of Lemoyne; and Harry Musselman, of Mechanicsburg. The funeral services were held Saturday at the home of Jacob Bucher, and body was taken to Slate Hill Sunday for burial.

Mrs. John Geiselman died in Westminster, Feb. 1st, after a prolonged illness from heart trouble and pneumonia. She was a daughter of the late David and Mary Carbaugh, of Littlestown. She leaves her husband and the following children: Mrs. Alice Winemiller, at home; Mrs. Bert Stouch, of Westminster; Charles Geiselman, of Baltimore; Austin Geiselman, of Hampstead, Md. The funeral was held on Sunday and body was taken to Littlestown where interment was made in Mt. Carmel Cemetery.

Mrs. Sara Moul Rouzer died at the home of her grandson, Clarence Rouzer, at Centre Mills, after a day's illness, aged 85 years and 2 months. She leaves her husband, George K. Rouzer, two sons and a daughter, J. B. Rouzer, of Table Rock; Oliver F. Rouzer, of Gettysburg, and Mrs. Geo. Laughman, of Straban township. Funeral services were held on Sunday morning with interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Gettysburg.

Mrs. Rhoda Worley Sell, wife of William B. Sell, of Hanover, died on Tuesday, Jan. 29, aged 30 years, 4 months and 28 days. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E Worley, of Hanover, and was married April 10, 1910, to William B. Sell, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Sell, of Hanover. She is survived by her husband, her parents, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Calvin Emig, of York; Mrs. Horner Fissel, of Barlow; Mrs. Claude Clouser, Mrs. Robert Leese, and Master C. Warren Worley, of Hanover.

JAPAN IS PAYING THE PRICE

Development of Industrialism Lowering Physical Efficiency and Moral Standards of People.

This move of the population from the maple-clad hills and rice fields of beautiful Japan to the crowded quarters, low resorts and inhuman factories of the cities is lowering the physical efficiency, the mental horizon and the moral standards of the people. Tuberculosis is taking its toll from frenzied industrialism. A prominent Y. M. C. A. worker, Mr. J. Merle Davis, whose study of the social problems of an increasing urban population in Japan has been thorough, says that an expert in factory conditions makes the statement that often one-half of the girls employed in certain mills become depraved within a year after entering the mills. They lose their health soon after, so that the price of a broader commerce and a sun flag in every port is being paid by weak womanhood and hollow-chested men.—Christian Herald.

SPRING SALE LIST.

Saturday, February 9.
R. M. Straley, Admr.—East Berlin.

Thursday, February 14.
A. C. Dukehart—Tyrone—Thompson.

Saturday, February 16.
Susan Smith Estate—Germany.
Clinton McKonley—Hamilton.

Tuesday, February 19.
L. H. Miller—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

Wednesday, February 20.
Daniel Chronister—Reading.
Marks Gordon—Highland—McDermitt.

Thursday, February 21.
Norman Z. Reinecker—Huntington—Slaybaugh.

Thursday, February 21.
Mrs. Dennis Fissel—Mt. Joy—Thompson.
Wm. H. Spear—Mt. Joy.

Friday, February 22.
Mervin Topper—Straban—Thompson
Emory Kuhn—near Biglerville.

Saturday, February 23.
Mervin Decker—Huntington—Slaybaugh.
C. D. Laughman—Reading.
John Miller—near Abbottstown.

Monday, February 25.
J. F. Sprenkle—Straban—Thompson.

Tuesday, February 26.
F. F. McDermitt—Highland—Taylor.
Harry Parr—Germany.
Harry L. Sanders—Hamiltonban—Crouse.
H. L. Sponseller—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.
Charles Haverstock — Butler—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, February 27.
Earl Cashman—Straban—Thompson.

Thursday, February 28.
J. W. Groscost—Tyrone—Thompson.
E. D. Hess—Mt. Joy—Spangler.
Alice A. McNair—Freedom—Caldwell.

Friday, March 1.
Barnes & Cromer—Hamiltonban.
Bert Eisenhart—near East Berlin.
George Jeffcoat — Mt. Pleasant — Thompson.

Saturday, March 2.
Harry Snyder—Menallen—Slaybaugh
Wm. P. Baker—Hamilton.

Monday, March 4.
Emory Cleveland—Straban—Thompson.
Jacob Rice—near New Oxford.

Tuesday, March 5.
William Becker — Mt. Pleasant — Thompson.
David Ogden—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, March 6.
Jacob M. Miller—near Sell's Station.
J. E. Weikert—Hamiltonban—McDermitt.
E. A. Walker—Tyrone—Thompson.
Asper Bros.—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Thursday, March 7.
Samuel T. Fair Estate—Latimore—Harbold.
H. B. Slonaker — Hamiltonban — Crouse.
McDonnell Bros.—Arendtsville—Taylor.
John Harner—Mt. Joy—Thompson.
N. Z. Reinecker—Huntington—Slaybaugh.

Friday, March 8.
P. J. Schriver—Huntington—Thompson.
Mrs. M. R. Snyder—Mt. Joy—Smith.
C. A. Feeser—Union—Thompson.
John E. Krug—Oxford.

Saturday, March 9.
G. W. Bowers—Mt. Joy.
Geo. Groscost—Straban—Thompson.
W. E. Bosserman—Reading.
William A. Kline—Five Points—Reading.
Samuel Ziegler—Hamilton.

Monday, March 11.
M. O. Stull—Cumberland.
A. J. Thompson—near East Berlin.
Wilmer Bream—Butler—Slaybaugh.

Tuesday, March 12.
Albert J. Bair—Union.
John Herring—Liberty—McDermitt.
Isaiah Harner & Son—Mt. Joy.
Mrs. M. E. Group—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.
Geo. D. Thomas—Cumberland—Caldwell.
P. E. Comfort—near Bermudian.
I. V. Noel—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

Wednesday, March 13.
Mrs. C. J. Bosserman—Reading.
H. W. Group—Straban—Trimmer.
J. Z. Chronister—York Springs—Slaybaugh.
M. A. L. Trostle—near Littlestown—Thompson.
Peter Trostle—Franklin—Slaybaugh.

Thursday, March 14.
Curwin Feeser—Germany—Thompson.
Samuel Black—Menallen—Taylor.
C. H. Feeser—Germany—Thompson.
Foster Beard — Cumberland — Caldwell.
J. L. Chronister—near York Springs—Slaybaugh.

Friday, March 15.
Samuel Bair—Conewago.
Rev. A. Stewart Hartman—Mt. Joy—Thompson.
Harry Routsong — Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Saturday, March 16.
George Wherley—Germany.
Jere D. Shafer—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.
Jeremiah Taylor—Menallen—Taylor.
Shultz & Mehring—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

Monday, March 18.
M. L. Fralim—Center Mills—Slaybaugh.
[illegible] T. Miller—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.

Tuesday, March 19.
Bert R. Feiser—Reading.
Chas. D. Sell—Germany.
William Lady—Butler—Taylor.
E. A. Carlson—Latimore—Slaybaugh.
D. C. Shanebrook—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.
Harry Tieman—near Oxford.

Wednesday, March 20.
R. W. Rouzer—Butler.
John V. Eyler—Mt. Joy—Collins.
William Stover—Franklin—Taylor.
A. H. Sherman—Union.
George Groscost—Straban—Thompson.

Thursday, March 21.
D. E. Brown—Reading.
A. U. Appler—Mt. Joy—Lightner.
Formwalt & Reinecker—Union.
Patterson Bros. — Emmitsburg — Crouse & Smith.
Elmer J. Altland—Mt. Pleasant—Thompson.
George Hartman—Menallen—Taylor.
John Fahnestock—Huntington—Slaybaugh.

Friday, March 22.
W. J. Beamer—Mt. Pleasant—Trostle.
G. C. Hoover—near Hampton.
Moses M. Black Estate—Menallen—Taylor.
Wm. P. Allison—Hamiltonban.
Geo. Basehoar—Gettysburg—Lightner.
G. A. Eckenrode—Tyrone—Thompson.

Saturday, March 23.
E. R. Stavely—Germany.
Crist Guise—Huntington.
Paul Zepp—Tyrone—Slaybaugh.
Ellis Schwartz—Mt. Joy—Thompson.

Monday, March 25.
W. A. McIlhenny—Straban—Thompson.
John Glass—near Oxford.

Tuesday, March 26.
J. E. Cleveland—Straban—Thompson.
Hiram Heller—Menallen—Slaybaugh.

Wednesday, March 27.
Baker Lerew—Hamilton.
Leo Tipton — Cumberland—McDermitt.
John Bream—Highland—Anthony.
Ed. Trostle—Straban—Thompson.

Thursday, March 28.
C. C. Brown—East Berlin.
H. H. Diehl—New Oxford—Thompson.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees and other persons concerned that the Administration Accounts hereinafter entered will be presented at an Orphans' Court for confirmation and allowance on Monday, March 4, A. D., 1918, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., of said day.

170. The first and final account of George A. Herring, Admr. of the estate of Mary C. Herring, late of Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

171. The first and final account of A. J. Smith, Admr. of the estate of Cecelia C. Smith, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

172. The first and final account of C. David McKendrick, Admr. of the the estate of John McKendrick, late of Gettysburg borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

173. The first and final account of C. H. Basehoar, executor of the will of Amos Basehoar, late of Union township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

174. The first and final account of Harvey L. Tressler and Andrew A. Tressler, executors of Margaret Tressler, late of Liberty township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

175. The first and final account of J. E. Bair, Jr., executor of the last will and testament of John E. Bair, late of Littlestown borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

176. The first and final account of H. Jefferson Bream and Joseph A. Bream, executors of the will of Jacob Bream, late of Huntington township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

177. The first and final account of Barbara Ellen Bupp, executrix of the last will and testament of Jesse Bupp, late of the Borough of East Berlin, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

178. The first and final account of Maria E. Tyson and Edwin C. Tyson, executors of the last will and testament of Charles J. Tyson late of Menallen township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

179. The first and final account of Geo. A. Sheely, T. J. Sheely and H. A. Sheely, three of the executors of the last will and testament of Joseph Sheely, late of Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

180. The first and final account of Dr. T. C. Miller, executor of the last will and testament of Catharine Phillips, late of Abbottstown Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased.

C. W. GARDNER,
Register.

Meeting Notice

There will be a meeting of the Adams County Association of Road Supervisors at the Court House in Gettysburg, on

Thursday February 21,

at 10 o'clock a. m.

Important business is to be transacted and a full attendance is desired

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Hygiene Taught by Movies.

North Carolina is carrying the propaganda of disease prevention from the laboratory to the rural home by means of a motion-picture show on wheels. The outfit consists of a railway car fitted up for the purpose. A lecturer and an operator, under the direction of the state health department, give free entertainments in every community that can be reached. The campaign is intensive; that is, after an exhibition in a given county the car returns to the same community, a week later, and still again two weeks later, with a complete change of program. The whole object is to impress the public with lessons of hygiene and sanitation that would be learned slowly, if at all, from printed reports or bulletins.—Youth's Companion.

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SATURDAY, FEB. 9, 1917

WAR-TILL-VICTORY CONGRESS

Hon. Vance C. McCormick, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, Harrisburg, is a member of the executive committee of the League for National Unity, which at a recent meeting held at its headquarters in New York considered matters relating to the forthcoming congressional primaries and subsequent elections. The following statement was unanimously adopted, and the chairman, James M. Beck, and the director, Ralph M. Easley, were instructed to submit it to the constituent organizations represented in the league, to the respective chairmen of the Republican and Democratic national committees and national congressional committees, to the Members of Congress, to the governors, and to the State councils of national defense.

SUPPORT THE GOVERNMENT

An Appeal to the Voters of the United States to Elect a War-Till-Victory Congress Next November.

"The Nation must be able to count upon both parties nominating men at the forthcoming congressional primaries who are whole-hearted and unequivocal supporters of the war aims of our government, and its purpose to prosecute the war to a successful termination. No man ought to be nominated by either party of whom it is not certain that if elected he will support the government in its high resolve to destroy Prussian militarism and establish a just and secured peace.

"In order that the next congress may be undividedly American and anti-Prussian, it will not suffice for the Nation to vote for a 'better man' or the less disloyal of two candidates on election day. It will be the business of the two dominant political parties generally, whatever their natural divisions may be as to domestic policies, to insure that whoever be elected every American district will be represented by an American patriot. It will be disloyalty in either party to nominate or at the primaries to abet the nomination of any man whose support of the government's war program is reluctant or qualified.

"In the interest of the Nation we ask for more. If in any district it becomes likely that an anti-war candidate be successful, it is the imperative duty of the two leading parties to effect a coalition against the non-American or anti-American candidate in order to make certain his defeat. An equitable arrangement should be effected between the two parties covering all such districts as require the expedient of coalition in order to avert the election of a disloyal candidate. A peculiar responsibility rests on parties in those districts which are preponderantly partisan, for either party is bound so to direct its affairs that the choice at the primaries, if it be equivalent to an election, shall be between absolutely loyal candidates.

"If in any congressional or senatorial election there prove to be danger of the election of disloyal candidates it will become the duty of Americans regardless of party affiliations, to defeat such candidates and to set loyalty to the nation above personal loyalty to the party. The defeat of men supporting the Union in the congressional election of 1862 did much to lengthen that war, and a like result in the elections of 1863 and '64 would have enabled the disloyalists to put the Union in peril.

"Let no party nominate or elect to congress any candidate on a so-called peace platform. The American Nation under the leadership of the President of the United States, Commander-in-Chief of the Army and Navy, is for peace, but a righteous and enduring peace can not be secured until America and the allied powers shall have achieved victory over the armies and governments of the central powers, or their peoples, having repudiated those who have been guilty of the crime of willing, initiating and carrying on the war shall, in the interest of a just peace, have ended their dynastic misrule.

"A congress must be elected which shall signify to the whole world that the American people are indivisibly united in their determination to go on with the war until its purpose shall have been accomplished. The voice of compromise must not be heard in the next congress. Whether dominantly Democratic, the next congress must be supremely American.

"Every member of the next congress, whether dominantly Republican or dominantly Democratic, the next congress must be supremely American.

"Every member of the next congress, whatever his views on domestic questions, must be a war-till-victory American.

"The pro-German and other seditious forces, lacking the courage of their disloyalty and hiding their treason behind the mask of pacifism, will not dare openly to frame an anti-American platform or frankly to name pro-German candidates. They will devise confusing issues. They will foment domestic strife. They will pretend to favor moderation in war and conciliation in peace. But their purpose will be to weaken the strength of our confidence in the victory of American arms and to shake our faith in the righteousness of the American aims.

"Therefore we call upon our fellow citizens throughout the Nation to use their power alike at primary and election to the end that the next congress, Senate and House, prove a mighty reinforcement of the will and strength that shall crown our just cause with victory."

THE HOME CAMPAIGN.

The statement calling for the war-till-victory congress should send into retirement every congressional aspirant in the 20th Congressional District but Hon. Andrew R. Brodbeck. He has supported the government in working and voting for every great war measure, and what he has done is the assurance of what he will do in the future.

The campaign now going on against Brodbeck is un-American, pro-German and along lines disloyal to the country. Think of a campaign against Brodbeck based upon allegations that there are people in York county who have it in for Brodbeck because he is supporting the war program of Wilson and was elected because he was upholding Wilson in his efforts to preserve peace. Think of a campaign proposed against Brodbeck on the pro-German proposition that he voted for the selective draft law and thereby offended some York county people. Think of the assertion of a candidate who proposes opposing Brodbeck, and when asked how he stood on the wet and dry issue and whether any candidacy was not calculated to double-cross Brodbeck because of his support of the National Prohibition amendment, replied there was no wet and dry in the matter, yet at the license court in Adams county there was some influence at work trying to do Brodbeck damage. The proposed campaign against Brodbeck is a slander upon the good people of York county and it is hoped falsely represents them as in a pro-German and unpatriotic attitude. The campaign against Brodbeck calls loudly to all patriots in York county to notify all aspirants to get out of the way of Brodbeck for the nomination for congress, and this for purely patriotic and American reasons

ARENDTSVILLE.

We have had about 18 inches of snow the deepest that our oldest people ever seen in this locality.

Our sportsmen had a fox chase on last Saturday and one two weeks ago owing to the deep snow the foxes could make no speed and the hounds soon caught them. Luther Raffensperger got the first and William Bushey the other after the hounds had killed them.

The severe cold weather and deep snow is very hard on the partridges; they had increased very much during the last few years but by this severe weather many will perish.

Henry A. Smelsor has been confined to his bed suffering with a severe attack of heart failure.

Mrs. Frances C. Knouse of Bethlehem, was called here on account of the illness of her father, Hiram W. Trostle.

Prof. B. F. Skellie, who had been teaching here, has gone to Reading where he will teach Latin and German.

Last Friday Dr. W. G. Bickel took Mrs. John F. Powell to the Baltimore Hospital where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Owing to the snow blocked roads our mail has been very irregular the last week or ten days on several occasions it failed to get through.

Hiram W. Trostle, who was suffering from a complication of diseases during the last several weeks, died on Wednesday last aged 71 years, 5 months and 25 days. At this writing the time of the funeral has not been set.

Rev. Wilmer Hartman, formerly of near this place, but for the last few years living in Middletown, Md. died in that place on Saturday, Jan. 26. His body was taken to Arendtsville for burial on Wednesday, Jan. 30, accompanied by twenty of his congregation. He was in his 49th year. He leaves his wife and two daughters, one aged 10 and the other 20 years. P.

School Children at Bank.

The Gettysburg National Bank inaugurated a new departure this week. All the schools of the town public and parochial were invited to the bank. They attended in crowds that could be handled and they were shown through the different departments of the bank. The banking system was explained how deposits subject to check were made, how money grew, how money was placed in bank to draw interest, how loans were made, the bookkeeping of bank was explained. The children were much interested. This demonstration was in line with the commercial courses in our schools and with a banking course recently installed and the demonstration is one calculated to be of benefit to the school children.

Woman Preachers in France.

French clergy are not exempt from military service, and many of the Protestant ministers' wives have courageously stepped into the gaps thus created and have taken up their husbands' work. They preach on Sundays, teach the catechism, visit the sick, and even conduct funerals. In more than one case in English Norman family also ministers' wives are filling the places of their husbands, who are serving in the army either as chaplains or as combatants.

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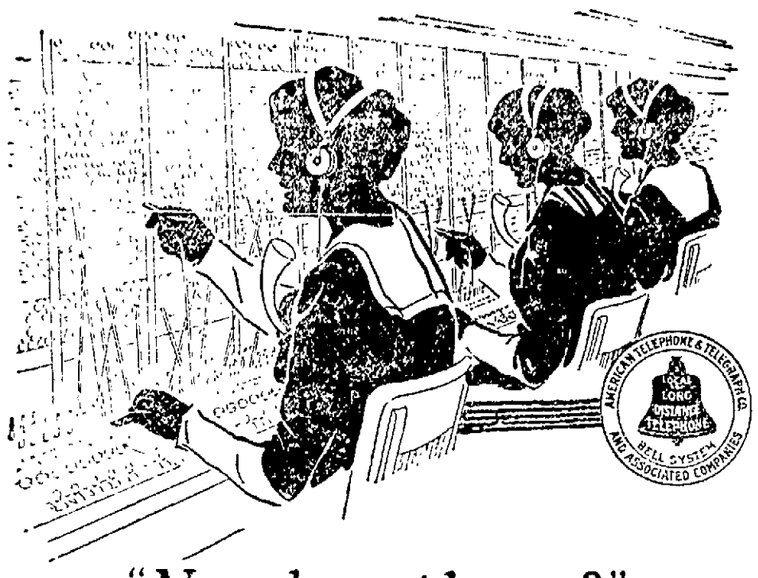

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Uncle Sam Wants Accountants.

The United States Government is in need of several hundred expert cost accountants to fill vacancies in the accounts section of the finance department of the equipment division of the Signal Corps, War Department, and in other branches, for duty in Washington, D. C., or in the field, according to an announcement just issued by the United States Civil Service Commission. The salaries offered range from $2400 to $6000 a year. Men only are desired.

The duties of appointees to the Signal Corps will consist of the determination of production costs of airplanes and airplane motors, either as supervisors in charge at one or more of the several plants, or as assistants; or appointees may be assigned to duty in Washington, D. C.

Applicants will not be assembled for a written examination, but will be rated upon the subjects of education and experience, as shown by their applications and corroborative evidence.

The Commission states that on account of the urgent needs of the service applications for these positions will be received until further notice and that papers will be rated promptly and certifications made as the needs of the service require.

Complete information and application blanks may be obtained by communicating with the secretary of the local board of civil service examiners at the post office in any of the larger cities or with the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Thursday, March 7, 1918.

The undersigned, having sold his farm, will sell at public sale at his residence in Hamiltonban township, Adams county, Pa., 2 miles southwest of Fairfield, between the Emmitsburg road and State Highway, all his stock and farming implements consisting of **9 Head of Horses and Mules.** No. 1, bay mare coming 11 years old, good leader, saddle mare, with foal to Belgian horse: No. 2, bay mare coming 9 years old, good leader, and work wherever hitched, with foal to Allison's jack: No. 3, bay mare coming 4 years old, good offside worker: Nos. 4 and 5, pair of bay horse colts coming 3 years old, offside workers: these colts are good heavy draft horses: Nos. 6 and 7, pair of black mules coming 9 years old: these mules are good size weighing about 1150 lbs., and good workers: No. 8, black Belgian horse colt coming 2 years old, bred from Twining's Belgian stallion: No. 9, black mare mule coming 1 year old, good size and will make a good mule. **9 Head of Cattle,** consisting of 5 milk cows, some will be fresh by day of sale, the balance summer and fall cows: 1 red Durham heifer will be fresh in June, 1 fat steer will weigh about 900 lbs., 2 high grade Guernsey bulls fit for service: **30 Head of Hogs,** consisting of 5 brood sows, 2 purebred Yorkshire sows, one will have pigs by time of sale, the other in May, 2 cross-bred Yorkshire sows, 1 will have pigs by April 1st, the other in May; these sows are carrying their second litter: 1 Poland China sow with pigs by her side; these sows are all with pig to my purebred Yorkshire boar: 2 Yorkshire boars, 1 2 years old and the other fit for service: 6 Yorkshire sow pigs, will weigh 100 lbs., eligible to registry, 17 head of shoats from 80 to 100 lbs. **75 Laying Hens. Farming Implements,** consisting of 1 4 or 6 horse wagon, 4 in. tread, and home-made bed, will hold 100 bus. corn, both good as new, 1 Fish Bros. wagon, 4 in. tread, capacity 6000 lbs., with home-made bed, holds about 75 bus. with cross bottom, 1 light home-made 2 horse wagon with bed, in good condition, 1 heavy spring wagon, in good condition, New Idea manure spreader, only used 1 year, 7 ft. cut McCormick binder, only used 1 season, cut about 40 acres grain, left hand cut, Deering ensilage cutter, 5 ft. cut, in good running order, 9 ft. John Deere hay rake, 8 fork Dutchland hay tedder, 2 Pennsylvania low down grain drills, 1 has been used 2 years, the other has never been used, New Holland chopping mill, 10 in. bush, I. H. C. 2-row corn planter, good as new, Superior single row corn planter, good as new, set of hay carriages 20 ft. long, barrel racks, will hold from 40 to 50 barrels or 125 bus. loose apples, Pennsylvania riding cultivator, 2 Pennsylvania walking cultivators, 1 a Parallel beam spring break, only used 1 season, and 1 a pin break in good order, 2 3 shovel cultivators, 2 double shovel plows, 3 long beam plows, 1 No. 84-88 Oliver chilled plow, 1 No. 501 Syracuse 3 horse plow, wood beam, 1 No. 361 steel beam Syracuse plow, 1 23 tooth Penna. sliding frame 3 section lever harrow, 1 17 tooth Johnston lever harrow, 1 17 tooth Perry harrow, 11 disc, Superior Disc harrow, land roller, Gould's barrel sprayer with 20 ft. hose, 9 ft. extension rod and nozzles, Eureka windmill in good order, cutting box, Eclipse corn sheller, grindstone, dinner bell, lot of 2, 3, and 4 horse trees, single trees, jockey sticks, middle rings, butt traces, breast chains, cow chains, log chains, rough locks, block and tackle with 100 ft. inch rope, picks, shovels, manure and pitch forks, manure sled, stable hook, good 2 horse sled with iron soles, heavy spring wagon pole, good buggy pole, 6 ft. cross-cut saw, good as new, 4 ladders, 2 25 ft., and 2 16 ft. long, lot of tree trimmers. **Lot of Harness,** consisting of 2 sets of breechbands, 3 1-2 in. good as new, 7 sets front gears, some good as new, set of double buggy harness, set of heavy double harness, set orchard harness, set buggy harness, wagon saddle, 10 heavy work bridles, 10 collars, 4 sets fly-nets, 3 sets check lines, 6 horse line, 2 plow lines, 3 lead reins, hitching straps, 10 halters and chains, 3 good housings, 400 bu. ear corn, 50 bu. good seed oats. **Household Goods,** consisting of No. 8 Excelsior Penn cook stove and pipe, old style bureau, 2 bedsteads, desk, 5 kitchen chairs, 2 cane bottom chairs, gravity cream separator, 10 gal. capacity, churn and stand, butter bowl and ladle, pound butter print, 2 large milk cans, lot of gal. crocks, 2 egg crates, water cooler, lot of dishes, china and glassware, frying and bake pans, 3 sad irons, apple butter by the crock, meat and lard by the pound, potatoes by the bu. and many articles too numerous to mention.

I will also offer my **Frick Threshing Rig** consisting of 1 8 x 10 traction engine, 10 h. p. boiler with 3 water tanks, 1 27-42 Landis Eclipse separator and water wagon: this machinery is in good shape. Also 1 No. 20 Hocking Valley Ensilage cutter 13 in., used two seasons, 1 160 ft. 6 in. 4 ply Gandy thresher belt, only used 10 days, 1 120 ft. thresher belt. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock sharp at which time terms and conditions will be made known by

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The coroner summoned several witnesses, among them a farmer living near the scene of the accident. There was voluminous testimony regarding the high speed at which the car traveled. Witnesses said, too, that the road was in bad repair. The coroner finally reached the farmer, who lived near the scene.

"What would you say about this accident, Mr. Swiggert?" the coroner asked.

"Well, if I was writin' the young man's epitaph," the witness drawled, "I'd say he died tryin' to get 40 miles out of a ten-mile road."

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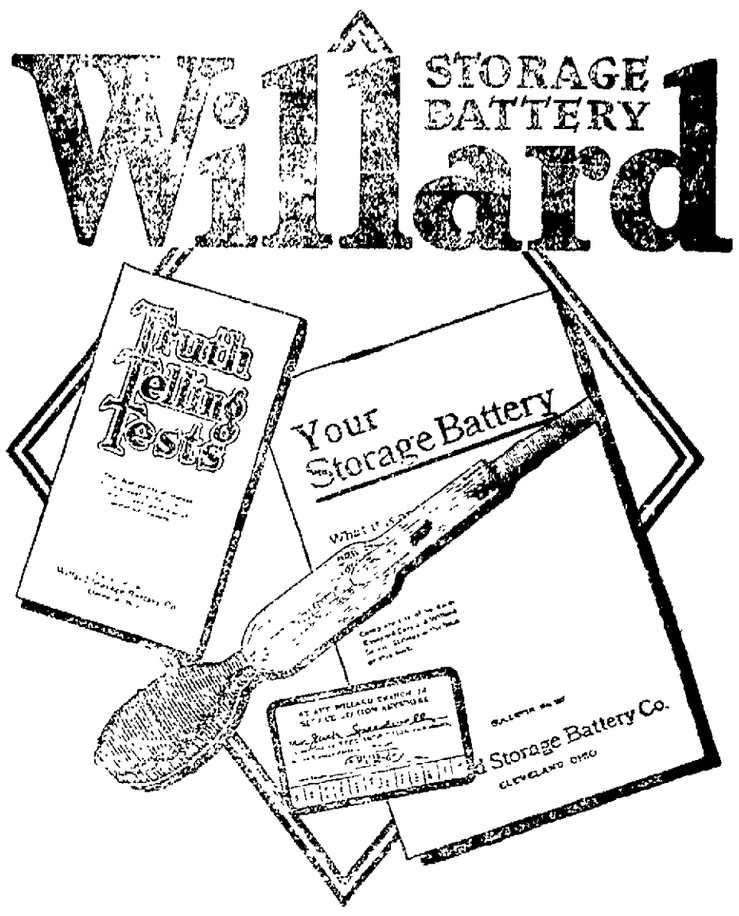

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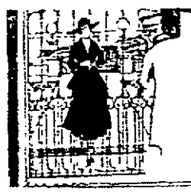

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Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Kate McCreary, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned and all persons indebted are required to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them in legal form to

WM. ARCH. McCLEAN,
Executor,
Gettysburg, Pa

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of H. A. Underwood, deceased, late of the Borough of York Springs, County of Adams, State of Pennsylvania. Letters of administration on the above estate having been duly granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

H. A. CLINE,
Administrator,
Gardners, Pa

Or his Atty.,
Wm. Arch. McClean, Esq.,
Gettysburg, Pa.

RECEIVER'S NOTICE.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, In equity.

C. J. Weaner having been appointed receiver of the New Oxford Pure Feed Company on December 15, 1917, with order directing all property of said corporation to be turned over to him and restraining interference, hereby gives notice to all creditors of the above corporation to immediately file a statement and proof of their claims with the undersigned receiver.

C. J. WEANER,
Receiver.

New Oxford, Pa., Dec. 19, 1917.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Letters of administration on the estate of Rebecca Cooley, late of Bendersville Borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated.

JOHN A. WEIGLE,
Administrator,
Bendersville, Pa

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PRICE OF SHOES EXPLAINED

Musical Comedy Footwear, Not War, Sent the Cost of Footwear Up, Says Writer.

An interesting story which is being widely reprinted credits the high cost of shoes to a brilliant idea which hatched in the brain of a California shoe retailer, according to the Louisville Courier-Journal. The writer of the story, which appeared first in a Western newspaper, says that the Los Angeles merchant despaired of finding sale for his wares among Eastern women who were motoring in California. He hit upon the plan of introducing startling varieties of footwear at fancy prices. He bought up a large quantity of "ladies' boots" with high tops in fancy colors. They were the sort of "boots" that had been seen often in musical comedy, but had not been worn by women on the street.

The Easterners, upon beholding his window display, imagined that something new had "struck the East," from Paris or elsewhere, and that they while traveling through the hinterland had not kept up with the fashions. They bought musical comedy shoes at any price the dealer was bold enough to ask. When they went back to New York with their smart "boots" the fashion was set. Manufacturers began at once to make high-topped shoes of all of the colors of the rainbow, and women who previously had regarded $6 as the highest price to be thought of began to buy the musical comedy shoes eagerly at from $12 to $25.

It is not the high cost of leather or the European war that caused shoes to advance, according to this story. One lone Los Angeles merchant established a new standard of values which women accept without question.

SUCH IS LIFE IN NEW YORK

Only by Accident Did Residents of Apartment in Big City Discover Neighbor Is Old Friend.

Two boisterous children romping in the halls of a large uptown apartment house in New York met a middle-aged man and forcibly dragged him into the library, where they proceeded to "play horse" with him by riding on his back while he galloped around the room on his hands and knees.

They made so much noise that members of the family opened the door and looked in. With the two children still clinging to his back with all their might—they wouldn't let go—the man stood up and bowed.

"Pardon me," he said. "You see, I live in the apartment opposite yours and your children are very old friends of mine. We play together on the stairs. But I have not seen them for so long that this evening I ventured to renew acquaintance with them."

Then he went back to his hands and knees and resumed his wild antics with the children.

As it developed, he was a man the family had met abroad a year before. Not until the children used him as a horse did they discover he was their near neighbor.

Such is life in New York apartments.

Glazing Windows Without Putty.

Glass panes can be held in place without the use of putty by the use of a flexible metal or rubber strip like a partly open tube fed upon the pane and held down by a set of clamps spaced along the pane, says the Scientific American. First apply the pane of glass so as to fit it into the wood recess, then lay the prepared metal spring strip along one side and screw on a plate at the edge of the pane and, say one at the middle, these being flat plates with a somewhat incurved edge where they take hold of the spring strip, and are screwed on the woodwork at the side of the pane with the curved edge projecting out and over the pane so as to inclose the strip. The latter are of course put on at all four sides of the pane.

A double pane with air space between can be applied by using a deep recess and just laying the pane, then the strip, next a second pane and finally a strip that now comes flush with the woodwork and can be fastened down by the metal plate as before.

Origin of Lace-Making.

A romantic legend is still current among the peasants of Europe concerning the origin of lace. As the story goes, a lover, who could offer his betrothed no costly gift, one day brought to her a leaf which he had plucked in the forest.

She accepted it as a true token of love, and preserved it with care. In time the lover went away—to the war, perhaps—and never returned.

The maiden prized the leaf then as a sacred treasure, and when she found only the delicate veining left of her keepsake, she took needle and thread and tried to copy the fairylike web. And thus was made the first bit of real lace.—Girls' Word.

Operations and Operations.

"After all, success is merely a matter of environment."

"As for example?"

"Well, the greatest surgeon might be a dismal failure operating on the stock exchange."

Smallest Canadian Province.

Prince Edward Island is one of the seven provinces of Canada, and is the smallest province of the Dominion, having an area of 2,184 square miles. The population at the last census was 111,608. Charlottetown, the capital, has about 12,000 population. The province is administered by a lieutenant governor, appointed for five years by the governor general of the Dominion, who acts through an executive council. There is a legislative assembly of 30 members, elected for four years, half by property holders and half by manhood suffrage.

CONDENSED MILK FOR FRENCH

Most of the People of Country Are Making Acquaintance of Product for First Time.

Scarcity of milk has introduced the French people—most of them for the first time—to condensed milk, and, as this has taken an important place in their dietary, has given rise to several careful studies of its value as a food. Doctors Loir and Lemagnenx of Le Havre report that for adults there is no fault to be found with it.

On its use as a food for infants, Professor Marfan makes a report to the Academy of Medicine. He considers it as a speedy diet, but says that skimmed and sweetened condensed milk is better than fresh for a dyspeptic baby, and, in hot weather, especially in cities, much safer, as there is little opportunity for its spoiling. Except under these circumstances, or when fresh milk cannot be had, condensed milk should not be given to babies.

Adults should use unskimmed condensed milk, but Professor Marfan insists that the only form for babies is that made from skimmed and sweetened milk. And it is suggested that every maker be obliged to label his brand either "Skimmed and Sweetened" or "Unskimmed."

BUYS STATUE MADE IN 1787

American Collector Pays $170,000 for Piece of Art Once Owned by King of Prussia.

For the reported price of $170,000, an American art collector has acquired "La Frileuse," or "The Shivering Girl," a bronze statue by Houdon.

It bears the famous sculptor's signature, and is dated 1787.

The statue was first exhibited in the Salon, at Paris, in 1787, and is said to have then passed into the possession of the king of Prussia, although this has never been verified. It was sought in all of the royal collections of Germany by Lady Charles Dilke, but she never found it.

Later the work turned up in the collection of Richard Wallace, which was bought almost in its entirety by Sir Murray Scott. Sir Murray Scott left his objects of art to Lady Sackville West, who sold them to Jacques Seligman of New York for use at $2,000,000.

Houdon made the same statue in marble, which now is in the Musee de Montpellier, France. In the marble work, [illegible] the [illegible] likely to [illegible] to exist.

Infants' Food to Shells.

When Mr. Lloyd George in England undertook to organize the ministry of munitions a glazier began to stamp out cartridge clips, says the World's Work; a manufacturer of music rolls used his equipment to make magnets; a concern engaged [illegible] infants' food began delivering plums for [illegible] an advertising agency manufacturing shell adapters; watchmakers began making fuses; a manufacturer of [illegible] machinery became a contractor for six-inch high explosive shells; a jewelry house devoted itself exclusively to periscopes; a phonograph concern sent millions of delicate shell parts to the assembling stations; a firm which made nothing but sheep-shearing machinery started turning out shell fuses; a cream separator factory manufactured shell primers. Among [illegible] producers of finished shells were candlemakers, four mills, tobacco manufacturers, siphon makers and the manufacturers of sporting goods.

French Colonial Possessions.

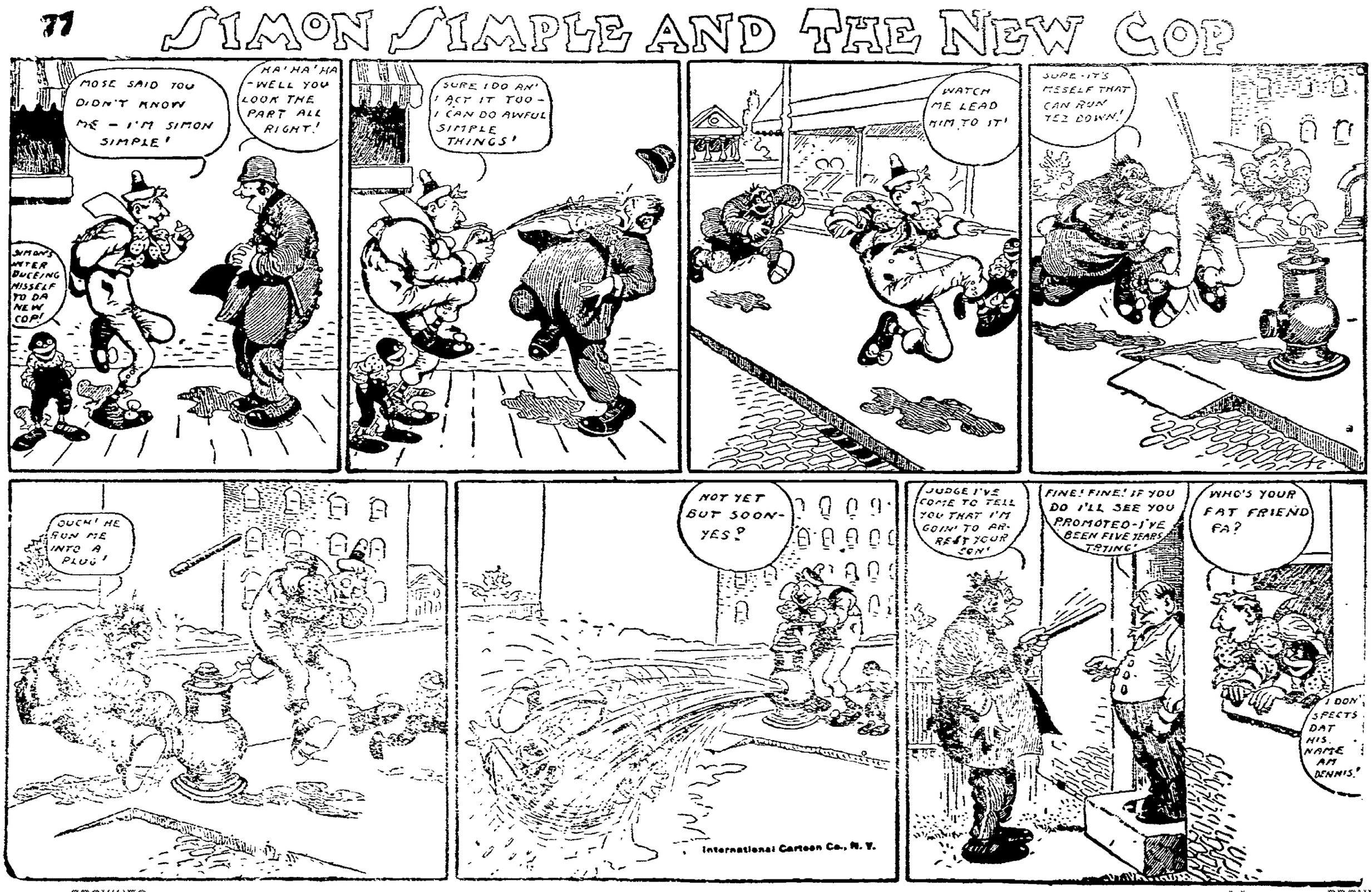
We underestimate too little the great magnitude of the French colonial possessions, says the Manchester Guardian. French Indo-China alone has an area of over a quarter of a million square miles and a population of over 17,000,000, of which about [illegible] 000 are Europeans, excluding military. In face of heavy difficulties the French have effected great improvements, trade has been organized and in some parts cotton growing is extending. And in recent years the rubber industry has been developed, more particularly in Annam and in Cochin-China. The French colonial possessions altogether (including Algeria and Tunis) have an area of about 4,000,000 square miles, with a population of well over 40,000,000.

Human Leopard Trials.

A gruesome manifestation of a primitive belief that exists in many parts of the world is described by a recent English writer, K. J. Beattie, in his account of the human leopard trials held in 1912 in Sierra Leone, Africa. Nearly all primitive peoples believe in the power of certain men to convert themselves into wild beasts. The "werewolf" legend of the French-Canadians is an example. In Sierra Leone a certain cult took advantage of this superstition to terrorize and kill their fellows, whom they cooked and devoured. These men were supposed to be able to take the forms of leopards at will, and owing to the spell of terror in which they held the people their murders were extremely hard to detect.

Use of the Tourniquet.

A tourniquet is used to stop profuse bleeding from arteries. It consists of a strap to go around the limb, and a pad to press on the artery and some means by which the pad may be made to press on the artery and stop the flow of blood. Many first-aid cabinets contain the United States army tourniquet. It consists of a strap made of webbing with a buckle and a catch on one end. It can be used around a limb by passing the end through the buckle and tightening up, making pressure on the whole circumference until the bleeding stops.



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A Widow's Birdshot

By C. B. Lewis

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One summer's afternoon a woman sat at a country crossroads. She had been there about fifteen minutes. Had she been a man there is no telling what she would have said, but being a woman, and a widow at that, she had to be content with saying:

"Drat such a neighborhood to goshen!"

Half a mile away on the lowland was a farmer's wife chasing a goose, while on the left hand, leaning over the roadside fence with one eye half closed, was an old horse hero. The farmer's wife and the goose were too far away. But the widow was sticking her face at the horse and getting ready to tell him what she thought of a crossroads without a guidepost when a man driving a horse and buggy appeared half a mile down the roadside road.

It was Hezekiak, widower, and he was in no hurry to get married again. Neither was his aged equine in a hurry. To prove that he wasn't, he stopped every two or three minutes to see if he could reach a horse-fly. These sudden stoppings threatened to send the driver over the dashboard, but they did not break the tune he was whistling.

Nearer and nearer the crossroads came Hezekiak with his ancient rig as the widow watched him, and while he was twenty rods away, she muttered:

"He looks like a half fool, but maybe he knows enough to answer a plain question."

"Whoa!" exclaimed Hezekiak, as he came opposite. "Are you waiting here for anybody?"

"I should think I was!" snapped the widow. "I have been waiting about two hours for some one to come along and tell me in the name of old Aunt Hanner why there isn't a guidepost at these crossroads."

"Madam, my name is Hezekiak Williams," said the man as he approached her horse and brought his hand down upon his neck with a vigorous swat and killed a horsefly.

"And mine is Sarah Blackwell, but what has that got to do with it?"

"Well, madam, I am a widower, you see."

"And I am a widow, but that isn't answering my question as to why there isn't a guidepost here to direct strangers. It seems to be the most shiftless county in the state."

"The county is all right," he smiled. "I have been living here more than twenty years, and I vow I have nailed a new guidepost up here every year."

"But what has become of them?" was her irritable demand. "Are you going to tell me that this horse looking over the fence has eaten them up as fast as planted?"

"No, ma'am, I ain't. They are pulled up by the roots whenever a young man around here gets hilarious and goes buggy riding with his girl. If there was a guidepost here, which we both can see there ain't, what town would you look for?"

"Why, Berea, of course."

"Oh, Lord, woman, Berea has been in front of your nose and only three miles away all the time you have been sitting here. So you are going to Berea, eh? I have lived there myself since it was a town of four hundred people, and if you follow me you won't lose your way. I heard the other day that a woman from Ryefield was thinking of buying the Clixton place. It don't happen by any chance that you are the woman?"

"Yes, it happens by a good many chances that I am. I have bought the place and am now on my way over for it."

"Shoo! That's right next door to me, and I am glad of it."

It is needless to say that in due time both safely arrived in Berea, and while the widow went about closing the transaction, and making ready to move over from Ryefield the following week, Hezekiak turned his old horse into the pasture and went in to supper to astonish his housekeeper by saying:

"Well, Betsy, I have seen my second wife this afternoon."

"Was that the woman driving the buggy behind yours as you came along?"

"That's the one. How did you like her looks?"

"I don't know whether she will ever see your second wife or not. I don't think it will be for you to have all the say about it."

When the widow arrived next week with her household effects, she found Hezekiak had done something for her which he had never done for himself. He had mowed the grass in the front yard, cut down all the weeds and burdocks and thereby made a great improvement in and about the place. He was also on hand when the goods arrived to help unload and carry them in.

When the widow arrived she was very much pleased, and said:

"Why, Mr. Williams, you certainly must be a good man."

"But you see, you are a widder, Mrs. Blackwell, and widders have a hard time of it."

It was after three or four weeks during which time Hezekiak had continued to play the part of a good Samaritan, that he sat down on the rail fence at the back of his garden and had a muse with himself:

"Darn fine woman; darn fine!" he began.

"Up with the lark in the morning, and working like a beaver all day.

"Makes the best hot biscuits and custard pie of any woman in Stone county."

The widower pulled a sliver from the rail and chewed at it for a while and then continued:

"Hezekiak, you want a wife. You are a slow old poke and you want some one to hustle you up. You haven't made a dollar in five years and you won't in the next five unless somebody gets you out of bed before the dew is off the grass.

"I can't say that I am so madly in love with the Widow Blackwell as to want to jump over a precipice for her sake, providing there was a precipice within fifty miles of here, nor to drown myself in a lake, providing there was anything bigger than a duck-pond within a day's walk of Berea.

"I like and admire her mighty dang well, however, and if I can get her feeling the same way toward me love will come, and so will matrimony. Hezekiak, you have got to do a little considering."

Hezekiak kept up this thinking for a long week and then finally got a plan. He went over to the widow one morning and asked: "Widow Blackwell, did you hear any strange noises around last night?"

"No, I don't think I did," was the reply.

"Some one was sure sneaking around our place last night," he continued. "I have found my spade and hoe gone this morning. Have you missed any of your tools?"

"Why, no. But let me see? Yes, the ax and the long-handled shovel are gone. There surely must have been a thief around here last night."

"I not only heard him, but I saw him," said Hezekiak in very solemn tones. "From the back door I saw him jump the garden fence, but I didn't yell at him for fear of arousing you."

"My stars! How dare a thief come around here?"

"Widow, there are more thieves around Berea than any other town in the state—and far worse than thieves."

"What do you mean?" she gasped.

"I mean robbers—burglars! I might as well tell you the honest truth. It is dangerous for a widow to live alone in this town. I should have told you so the day we first met, but you had bought the place and it was no use to say anything to skeer you. And so I figured that I could take care of us both. I have been doing that right along, but last night they got the better of me."

"Mr. Williams," said the widow in anxious tones, "do you mean to tell me that I am in danger of robbers and burglars?"

"Not with me around," he replied, "unless I sleep sounder than you do I shall be up and down a dozen times through the night, and the next fellow that appears will find me and my gun handy. If you have reason to believe that some unhung villain is prowling around don't take the chances of going to a door or a window. You can be sure that Hezekiak Williams is on deck looking out for the unprotected."

The Widow Blackwell bought fifty chickens and half of them were stolen within a month. She bought a pig, and but for its own sharp squeals it would have been lifted from the pen and carried off. On several nights after midnight her cow was milked dry by the marauder. Some one stole her washtub and boiler and even carried off the family mop from the woodshed.

There was a secret which the widow had not confided to Hezekiak, and that was that she also was the owner of a shotgun left her by her late lamented. When the thefts continued and Hezekiak failed to bring down any game, she loaded that gun with fine birdshot and for three nights running she sat by her bedroom window with the deadly weapon across her knees. On the third night she saw a man moving about her grounds, and without giving any warning she aimed in his direction and pulled the trigger.

The report of the gun was quelled by yells, which she recognized as the private property of Hezekiak Williams. Two minutes later she was kneeling beside him. He was not dead but his plot was. He had conspired with himself to make her believe that a husband was badly needed around her house for her protection. He owned up to it like a man, and after taking the matter under consideration for a few months, or until the last of the bird shot had worked its way out of his anatomy, she said to him one evening:

"Well, Hezekiak, I was not plotting to get a husband, but I am not that mean to fill a man with birdshot and then refuse to marry him."

Ridiculous.

Lucile saw the circus for the first time and sat through the performance as primly as if at church.

"What was the matter?" her uncle asked the little lady later.

"Why, the clowns," she explained. "I could hardly keep from laughing at them."—Everybody's.

Between Girls.

Cecile—I shall not marry a man unless he is my exact opposite.

Cissie—You will never find so perfect a being as that.

The "pure food law" is designed by the Government to protect the public from injurious ingredients in both foods and drugs. It is beneficial both to the public and to the conscientious manufacturer. Ely's Cream Balm, a successful remedy for cold in the head, nasal catarrh, hay fever, etc., containing no injurious drugs, meets fully the requirements of the new law and that fact is prominently stated on every package. It contains none of the injurious drugs which are required by the law to be mentioned on the label. Hence you can use it safely.

Elmer Strayer, of Latimore township, sold a pair of 20 year old mules last week for $200. He purchased the animals at the sale of Otis Miller sixteen years ago for $254.

Now is the Time to be Careful.

Avoid imitations or substitutes, get the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, and you have a cough medicine you can depend upon. It gives prompt relief, clears throat, loosens phlegm, soothes, heals. Checks coughs, colds, whooping cough, la grippe, bronchial coughs. Contains no opiates. People's Drug Store.

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Reason Enthroned.

[illegible] treats are so tasty they are consumed in great excess. This leads to stomach troubles biliousness and constipation. Revise your diet, let reason and not a pampered appetite control, then take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soooon be well again. Try it. For sale at the People's Drug Store. Samples free.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER
Advertisement.

Charles Topper, of near Emmitsburg, received word this week from his son, Quincy Topper, that he had safely arrived in France sometime during the holidays and that he was well. Mr. Topper is in the Regular Army.

About Constipation.

Certain articles of diet tend to check movements of the bowels. The most common of these are cheese, tea and boiled milk. On the other hand raw fruits, especially apples and bananas also graham bread and whole wheat bread promote a movement of the bowels. When the bowels are badly constipated however, the sure way is to take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper.

Harvey W. Herman, of near New Chester, has purchased the farm of John Gochenour, near Five Points. The farm contains about 200 acres. Terms private.

Eczema spreads rapidly; itching almost drives you mad. For quick relief Doan's Ointment is well recommended. 60c at all stores.

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These Tablets are intended especially for disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. If you are troubled with heartburn, indigestion or constipation they will do you good.

Mrs. Elmer Bennett, of Fairfield Station, has a black Minorca hen that laid a double yolk egg three days in succession.

Woman loves a clear rosy complexion. Burdock Blood Bitters is splendid for purifying the blood, clearing the skin, restoring sound digestion. All druggists sell it. Price $1.25.

A horse belonging to G. B. M. Baker, of near Abbottstown, was so severely kicked Monday night by another horse which became untied in the stable, that it had to be suspended in a sling, being unable to stand. Fortunately no bones were broken in the injured horse and it is thought it will recover.

Don't Cough All Night

It wears down your strength, racks your nerves, keeps yourself and all the family from sleeping. Besides, you can easily stop it with

Foley's Honey and Tar.

A standard family medicine of many years standing for la grippe and bronchial coughs, tickling throat, hoarseness, stubborn coughs, hacking and for coughs in children it is the best. Its effect on the throat and air passages is quick and very soothing. "I coughed [illegible] I could hardly sleep [illegible] and one [illegible]

Advertisement.

Gibson—Tobias.—Miss Edna Mae Tobias, of Lebanon, and Sergt. William W. Gibson, of Co. A, 6th Inf., located at Charlotte, were married by Dr. R. S. Oyler, at the Methodist parsonage on Monday.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs
Advertisement.

$100 Reward, $100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggist, 75c.

Advertisement.

Victor Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lawrence, of near New Oxford, has safely arrived in France. He is a member of the 61st Aero Squadron and spent several months in Texas, being transferred to Morristown, Va., then to France.

Women Want the Best.

Woman is more finely constructed than man and she requires the best to be had in medicines when her system becomes disordered. Foley's Kidney Pills help the kidneys, cleanse the blood of impurities that cause aches and pains in muscles and joints, dizziness, headache, rheumatic pains and [illegible] People's Drug Store.

[illegible] Mr. Weaver, of Hunterstown, [illegible] shed collapsed, spilling the [illegible] horses, and one of the horses, [illegible] had a narrow escape from being killed.

PNEUMONIA
Frost the physician. Then begin let applications of—
VICKS VAPORUB
Advertisement.

Due to a shortage of coal the Littlestown schools had to be closed until fuel could be secured.

A Hint to the Aged.

If people past sixty years of age could be persuaded to go to bed as soon as they take cold and remain in bed for one or two days, they would recover much more quickly, especially if they take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There would also be less danger of the cold being followed by any of the more serious diseases.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS
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Advertisement.

Monday, Jan. 28, marked the 57th birthday anniversary of Dr. E. W. Cashman, of York Springs. The doctor has been practicing his profession at York Springs for a period of thirty-two years.

Taking baby up at night is often the cause of bad colds. Use Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup and stay in bed. 25 cts.

Mrs. Charles Miller, of Thomasville, has moved to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Lewis Detter, at East Berlin, where she will make her home.

For croup or sore throat, use Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil. Two sizes, 30c and 60c. At all drug stores.

The day of harsh physics is gone. People want mild easy laxatives. Doan's Regulets have satisfied thousands. 30c at all drug stores.

The pupils and teacher of Miller's school Huntington township, are now enjoying fine music every day, produced by the new victrola which they recently purchased.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

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Advertisement.

William B. Weaver, trustee of Robert Weaver, of Hunterstown, on Saturday afternoon sold at the banking house, on Centre Square, 5 shares of F. & M. Bank stock to C. E. Winland at $193.50, and 5 shares of same to H. G. Deatrick at $191.50, par value $50; one share of stock of First National Bank, of Gettysburg, to J. L. Butt, Esq., at $226.50.

For that Terrible Itching.

Eczema, tetter and salt rheum keep their victims in perpetual torment. The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this itching, and many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by the People's Drug Store.

A donation of articles of food and a purse of money, the total value being about $50, was presented to Rev. J. S. Ditzler and family of East Berlin, from the congregation of the Hampton Reformed Church.

FOLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS
Keep Stomach Sweet - Liver Active - Bowels Regular

When You Have a Cold.

It is when you have a severe cold that you appreciate the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. Frank Crocker, Pana, Ill., writes: "Our five-year-old son Paul caught a severe cold last winter that settled on his lungs and he had terrible coughing spells. We were greatly worried about him as the medicine we gave him did not help him in the least. A neighbor spoke so highly of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy that I got a bottle of it. The first dose benefittted him so much that I continued giving it to him until he was cured."

Dr. E. H. Markley, Adams County Food Administrator, has named the following men to have charge of the work in their respective communities: Burton M. Alleman, Littlestown; P. F. Smith, McSherrystown; G. W. Koser, Biglerville; L. M. Gardner, Jr., York Springs.

Dr. Fahrney's Teething Syrup is the best remedy for any sickness baby gets, no matter how young or how old. Try it.

William Raffensperger has sold his 26-acre farm, at 700, Hamilton township, to Raymond Forry, of Hanover, for $2,75[illegible] Mr. Forry will take possession [illegible] April 1st, 1918.

[illegible] Sufferers.

[illegible] Hunter's Lung Balsam [illegible] "I [illegible] got the cold colds." It [illegible] inflamed surfaces, loosens phlegm, eases hoarseness and difficult breathing, checks racking coughs. People's Drug Store.

C. F. Bowerman, of Huntingtontownship, one day recently purchased two sled loads of fat hogs from Paul Zepp for $901.12.

Cut This Out—It is Worth Money

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. People's Drug Store.

Word has been received here that Howard Staub, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Staub, of Arendtsville, formerly of Hanover, is now "somewhere in France."

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA
Advertisement.

Warning to the public to be careful in the use of hair dyes, rouge, hair removers and similar cosmetics because many of them contain poisonous ingredients, was given by the bureau of standards.

Constant Sufferer Finds Relief.

"I have been a constant sufferer from kidney trouble and was down sick in bed," writes C. F. Reynolds, 412 Herrick St., Elmira, N. Y. "I commenced taking Foley Kidney Pills. In a few days I was up out of bed." Recommended for rheumatic pains, backache, biliousness, sore muscles, stiff joints, "tired out" feeling. People's Drug Store.

The barn roof at the farm of John Cool, in Liberty township, collapsed Tuesday under the heavy snow. The barn was remodeled several years ago and it is likely that an entire new structure will now be required.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
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C. Irving Kroh, of Silver Run, who conducts a canning business, put up 528,600 cans of tomatoes, peas and corn.

Worst Winter in Years.

Snow, wind and extreme cold caused more colds this winter than in years. Foley's Honey and Tar proved its worth in thousands of homes. Mrs. Edward Strevy, R. 37, Clinton, O., says: "I think Foley's Honey and Tar is the only medicine for coughs and colds and recommend it highly." Fine for children. People's Drug Store.

Wm. L. Kimmel, of Route 1, East Berlin, has been granted the power of attorney to close up the estate of the late Mrs. Sarah A. Kimmel, of Latimore township.

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The thrift stamp campaign in Adams county has progressed so satisfactorily during the past few days that the $10,000 mark has been passed. New Oxford continues to lead the entire county.

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